Daily British Colonist.

TWENTY-FIRST YEAR. } VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1879. { VOLUME XLI. NO. 25

Daily Colonist.

PUBLISHED EVERY DAY, EXCEPT MONDAY.

DAVID W. HIGGINS,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

COLONIST BUILDING—GOVERNMENT STREET, FIRST DOOR NORTH OF THE POST OFFICE.

TERMS---INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THE DAILY COLONIST—Per Year, (subject to Postage.....$10.
Parts of a year at the same rate.
Per Week (if delivered).....25 Cents.
THE WEEKLY COLONIST—Postage free to any part of the Dominion) if paid in advance.....$4
Six Months.....$2
Three Months.....$1
not paid in advance at the rate of $5 per annum.

ISSUED EVERY TUESDAY MORNING IN TIME FOR THE MAILS

A Remarkable Case.

A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western Continent. *

A Remarkable Result.

It makes no difference how many Physicians, or how much medicine you have tried, it is now an established fact that German Syrup is the only remedy which has given complete satisfaction in severe cases of Lung Disease. It is true there are yet thousands of persons who are predisposed to Throat and Lung Affections, Consumption, Hemorrhages, Asthma, Severe Colds settled on the Breast, Pneumonia, Whooping Cough, &c., who have no personal knowledge of Boschee's German Syrup. To such we would say that 50,000 dozen were sold last year without one complaint. Consumptives, try just one bottle. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by all Druggists in America. *

YESTERDAY whilst walking round to see the various stores and the good things in them we noticed in particular at PARKER'S MARKET two hind quarters of Beef marked, "RAISED AND FED BY J. GREAVES, NICOLA VALLEY." We are sure that such Beef cannot be equalled in any part of the world. The size is not extraordinary, but the enormous amount of Fat and Flesh on them, with so little bone, is a thing to be astonished at. The quarters can be seen to-day by any one passing and they are worth any one's going that far to see them *

DR. JAMES,
BROUGHTON ST., OPPOSITE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
CAN BE CONSULTED DAILY.
Of nearly 50 years' extensive practice in England, America, and Australia. He extracts polypus and cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. Dr. James is the discoverer of a medicine which cures all LOCAL RHEUMATIC PAINS AS SOON AS APPLIED. Dr. JAMES is in possession of medicines that never failed to stop and cure DIPTHERIA, SMALLPOX, CROUP and all FEVERS in a few hours. N. B.—Mrs. James, midwife of long experience and successful practice in this city, is open to engagement.

Blank Book Manufactory and Book Bindery.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets. Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

NOTICE.

A large lot of Men's and Boys' Ulsters to be sold very cheap at the Commission Store on Johnson street. Men sand boys' suits and gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes, rubber coats, Cape-ann oilskin suits, heavy cloths and tweeds, waterproof cloth and Oregon flannels. The above goods will be sold at a very small advance on cost. Garments made to order at a low figure. *
A. GILMORE.

GILBERT TOMPKINS,
WHEELWRIGHT, CARRIAGE-MAKER & BLACKSMITH,
HAS REMOVED TO HIS SPACIOUS NEW PREMISES on Douglas and Johnson streets, and is now prepared to execute all work entrusted to him the best style and at
THE LOWEST RATES.
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLE
MADE AND WARRANTED.
FREIGHT AND FARM WAGONS A SPECIALTY.
Horseshoeing Carefully Attended to.
Orders from the Country promptly filled.
se17dw3m GILBERT TOMPKINS

COAL BY THE SACK.
THE BEST DEPARTURE BAY COAL FROM Dunsmuir's Mine, delivered to any part of the city at
50 CENTS PER SACK OF 100 LBS., OR BY THE TON AT $8.50.
ORDERS left at Mr. Finlayson's Grocery Store, Fort street; Mr. Gosnell's, Douglas street; Mr. J. Boyd's, Johnson street; or by postal card to H. DEVLIN, Alfred street, will be promptly attended to. oc5

C. S. WYLDE,
[LATE REVENUE OFFICER OF B. C.]
SHIPPING MASTER,
Custom House Broker and Professional Gauger.
TERMS MODERATE. Office—Bastion street, corner of Pelles Barracks. de11

NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP WHICH HAS HERETOfore existed between Joseph Garnier and John Coigdarripe has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late partnership will hereafter be carried on by Joseph Garnier, at the Colonial Hotel, Johnson street, Victoria, on his own account, and he will receive all monies owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.
Dated at Victoria, this Twelfth day of December, A. D. 1878. JOSEPH GARNIER, JOHN COIGDARRIPE.
Witness—Thos. H. Williams. de13

NOTICE.

ALL MEMBERS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA LODGE No. 1. I. O. G. Templars, now in good standing, are requested to attend the weekly meeting on Friday evening the 3d January, 1879, at 7:30 p.m., in Good Templars' Hall, Yates street.
de29 W. F. O'CONNOR, Secretary.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT H. EVELYN STURT is no longer in our employ, and that we will not pay any debts of his contracting on account of the Texada Marble and Commercial Co.
DANIEL BUCK, Secty.
San Francisco, Dec. 9, 1878. de21 1m

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the late Emanuel Lawrence are requested to forward a certified statement of the same to the undersigned, by the 1st of February, 1879; and all parties indebted to the said Estate are requested to settle with the undersigned immediately.
ALEXANDER VANCE, THOMAS WOODS, } Executors.
Okanagan, November 8th. de22dw

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ACCOUNTS AGAINST the estate of Antoine Minaberriet and the late Dominique Gregory, commonly called Basque Ranch, are requested to forward a certified statement of the same to the undersigned, executors of the will of the late Dominique Gregory, before the 1st day of February, 1879; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to settle their accounts with the undersigned immediately.
No claims shall be received against the estate after the 1st February, 1879.
Basque Ranch, 4th December, 1878.
ALEX. COUTLIE, C. J. GRANDIDIER.
de20dw

Garnishee Notice

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—TAKE notice that a note given by Richard Hoey in favor of Luke Nolan has been garnisheed. Said note was for the sum of $185, payable last October.
H. FEATHERSTONE.
Lillooet, Dec. 20, 1878. ja1dw

$50 REWARD.

STOLEN OR STRAYED
FROM THE ENCLOSURE, UPLAND Farm, Cadboro Bay about the middle of October last, 50 Southdown Ewes. A reward of $50 will be paid for their recovery.
GEORGE DEANS, Upland Farm.
Nov. 23d, 1878. no26

MUNICIPAL TAXES.

RATEPAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT unless all taxes due by them be paid before 4 o'clock on Friday the 3rd January, 1879, they will not be entitled to vote at the ensuing Municipal Election.
THOS. RUSSELL, Assessor and Collector.
City Hall, Victoria, 31st Dec. 1878. ja1

TO RENT.

THAT NEAT AND CONVENIENT COTTAGE RESIDENCE adjoining Sheriff Harris' on Broad St., near Fort, the same having been in the occupation of Mr. Wm. Wilson during the past seven years.
For particulars apply to MRS. HARRIS, Broad St., near Fort.
Victoria, Jan. 1st 1879. ja1 1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Thomas R. Mitchell and the undersigned, as Painters and Glaziers, has this day been dissolved. The undersigned will carry on the business in future on his own account and will collect all debts due to the late firm of Lettice & Mitchell, and will pay all liabilities of the late firm.
ROBERT LETTICE.
Victoria, Dec. 30th, 1878. ja1

INSOLVENCY.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS

In the matter of Loab S. Cohen, of the City of New Westminster, General Merchant, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASSIGNment of his estate to me, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, Columbia street, in the City of New Westminster, on Friday the 27th day of December, at 4 o'clock p. m., to receive a statement of his affairs.
Dated New West'r, Dec. 10th, 1878.
JAMES MORRISON, Official Assignee.
de13

ALL DEBTS AGAINST

THE COLD TEA SALOON MUST BE SETTLED by the First of January.
All persons indebted to same are requested to settle.
J. LOVETT.
Dec. 28th, 1878. de29

LIQUOR LICENSES.

SALOON KEEPERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Licenses for the ensuing term must be paid onor before the 2nd day of January next.
The Superintendent of Police has instructions to close all houses not complying with this notice.
THOS. RUSSELL, Assessor and Collector.
Victoria, Dec. 27, 1878. de29

NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE FROM Victoria Mr. JOHN COLLENS holds my power of attorney, and is authorized to transact all business in my name. DAVID W. HIGGINS.
Victoria, B.C., Dec. 10, 1878. de11

BUGS, FLEAS, MOTHS, BEETLES,
AND ALL OTHER INSECTS ARE DESTROYED BY
KEATING'S INSECT POWDER.
Which is quite harmless to Domestic Animals.
In exterminating Beetles the success of this Powder is extraordinary, and no one need be troubled by those pests. It is perfectly clean in application.
Ask for and be sure to obtain "KEATING'S POWDER," as Imitations are Noxious, and fail in giving satisfaction.
SOLD BY ALL CHEMISTS IN TINS, 1s. and 2s. 6d each.

KEATING'S BON BONS OR WORM TABLETS
A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETMEAT, both in appearance and taste, furnishing a most agreeable method of administering the only certain remedy for INTESTINAL or THREAD WORMS. It is a perfectly safe and mild preparation, and is especially adapted to children.
SOLD IN TINS BY ALL CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS
jel9toc3

LOOK AT THE CORNER
OF GOVERNMENT AND BASTION STS.
AND SEE THE FINEST DISPLAY OF
HOLIDAY GOODS
-- CONSISTING OF —
JEWELRY, WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
Silverware, Spectacles, &c.,
That has ever been imported into British Columbia
☞ Goods offered at the LOWEST RATES FOR CASH by the old Pioneer Dealer,
J. L. JUNGERMAN.

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

FOR CASSIAR AND SITKA MINES
THE MAIL STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA
CHARLES THORN, Master,
Having superior accommodation for passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about
SATURDAY, JAN. 4TH, 1879.
Returning, will leave Victoria for Astoria, Portland (Oregon) on or about the 16th.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent.
Office at P. McQuade & Sons. no20

H. B. Co's Bark "Prince Rupert," from London.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
For the Hudson Bay Co.,
W. CHARLES.
Victoria, B. C., Dec. 7, 1878. de8

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S BARK PRINCE Rupert, Capt. Main, will commence to discharge cargo at 7 a. m. on Tuesday the 10th Dec.
Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after five o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.
For the Hudson Bay Co.
de10 WILLIAM CHARLES.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.
THE H. B. CO.'S BARQUE
"PRINCE RUPERT"
Will have quick dispatch for the above port, and has room for a limited quantity of freight.
For particulars apply at the Company's office. de10

CHANGE OF SAILING DAYS.
ON AND AFTER THE FIRST OF December prox. the steamer
ISABEL,
CARRYING H. M. MAILS, W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS, PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT,
Will leave Victoria for Port Townsend at FIVE a. m. on Mondays and Thursdays, returning on the same days. L. STARR.
Nov. 26th. no27

NOTICE.
TO SHIP OWNERS AND CAPTAINS
THE POWERFUL STEAM TUG
BEAVER,
Fitted with two 36-inch Cylinders, having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, making her one of the most powerful and economical Tugs on this coast, is now prepared to tow vessels in B. C. waters.
For further information apply on board to Captain J. D. Warren at Dickson-Campbell's wharf.
Or to HENRY SAUNDERS, Johnson street
mh24dw

NOTICE.
TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.
THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG
"PILOT"
Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.
Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of
ENGELHARDT & CO., OWNERS, Wharf street.
Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

STOCK OF JEWELRY
FOR SALE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned having taken possession (under the provisions of a Bill of Sale by way of Mortgage) of the
STOCK-IN-TRADE
In the late Establishment of
HENRY RUDOLPH OF VICTORIA, JEWELER
Offer the same
For Sale by Private Tender.
Intending purchasers may inspect the Stock, which is now on the premises lately occupied by Henry Rudolph on the corner of Government St. and Trounce Alley, by application to any of the undersigned.
To anyone desirous of opening a JEWELLER'S ESTABLISHMENT the opportunity is a GOLDEN ONE
AS ALL THE STOCK IS FIRST-CLASS AND IN GOOD ORDER.
JOSEPH LOEWEN, JOHN WEILER, JACOB LOERZ, GEORGE STELLY, LOUIS ERB, } Mortgagees.
Dated 11th Dec., 1878. de12dw

JOSEPH HENLEY,
(SUCCESSOR TO GEO. THOMSON)
VANCOUVER BAKERY,
FORT STREET,
BREAD AND BISCUIT BAKER.
GOODS DELIVERED IN ANY PART OF THE City Free of Charge.
The patronage so liberally extended to my predecessor is respectfully solicited by the undersigned.
de10 JOSEPH HENLEY.

VANCOUVER BAKERY,
FORT STREET.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS DISPOSED OF HIS Baking Business to
MR. JOSEPH HENLEY,
And respectfully asks for his successor a continuance of the favors that he has been favored with during the past sixteen years.
MR. W. K. BULL is authorized to collect all outstanding liabilities.
GEORGE THOMSON.
Victoria, B. C., Dec. 9, 1878. de10

MRS. REDGRAVE
HAVING RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISCO and resumed business at the old premises FORT street, begs to return thanks for the amount of patronage renewed and wishes to inform her patrons that she makes
CHILDREN'S DRESSES A SPECIALTY.
And hopes by attention and care to be favored with a share of custom.
☞ Ladies' Dresses accurately Cut and Fitted in all the Latest Styles at REASONABLE CHARGES.
no27 MRS. R.

CITY COAL AND WOOD DEPOT.
GASTON & ROBINSON BEG TO NOTIFY THEIR customers that they have removed their office from the corner of Bastion and Government streets to next door to Messrs. Denny & Spencer, where orders can be left. Orders may also be left at the following places:—
Messrs. FELL & Co., Fort street.
Mr. G. W. ANDERSON, Fort street.
M. J. GOSNELL, Douglas street.
Victoria, 24th August, 1878. au25

HONGKONG.
THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IS PREpared to
ISSUE DRAFTS ON THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, HONGKONG.
Payable on Demand, at Current Rates.
WM. C. WARD, Manager.
Bank of British Columbia, Victoria, 23rd Oct., 1878. oc24

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
HENRY SHORT,
GUN AND RIFLE MAKER
FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,
Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS
CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.
mh11

CHU CHUNG & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
CHINESE MERCHANDISE,
CORNER CORMORANT & GOVERNMENT STS, VICTORIA, B. C.
Beg most respectfully to inform their friends and the public at large that they have established themselves in the premises abovenamed, and are prepared to receive orders in their line and fill the same with quick dispatch AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.
THEIR STOCK CONSISTS OF
CHINA RICE, TEA, SUGARS, OPIUM,
CHINAWARE, JAPANESE, LACQUERWARE,
DRY GOODS, LADIES' FANS AND CURIOS,
WHICH ARE IMPORTED DIRECT FROM CHINA.
Intending Purchasers will do well to give us a call before Purchasing Elsewhere. no1 1m

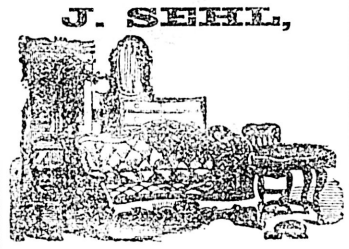
SHEPPARD, GOODACRE & CO.,
(LATE JOHN GOODACRE & CO.)
FAMILY BUTCHERS,
PURVEYORS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
And Wholesale and Retail Dealers in all descriptions of
MEATS OF THE CHOICEST QUALITY.
Customers Supplied at LOWEST RATES, and the Goods Delivered FREE OF CHARGE.
LIVERPOOL MARKET,
OPPOSITE THE ALHAMBRA BUILDING,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
no23

Come ye citizens and strangers,
Miners, sailors and Western rangers,
Listen to the truthful story,
Of Frank Campbell of Victoria.
He in truthful words will tell you
Just the goods he has to sell you.
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
If you are fond of chewing and smoking,
Or if you are given to snuffing,
What he keeps does not need puffing.
He has brands will suit you really,
Tobacco users prize them dearly;
From all parts of the "Old Dominion"
He has stock, and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better
They will please you to the letter.
His Cigars, just from 'Havana,'
Smoke in the most lovely manner;
Meerschaum pipes of style and fashion
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His Tobaccos are celebrated;
Green Seal, Straight Cut, all go,
Big Lick, Big Cut, Wind Sap, also
All the Fine Cut Brands for chewing
That your teeth will never ruin;
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoker,
Cards for playing sinch or poker,
Pipes of briar and stems of cherry
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
All the things he has to sell you.
While in town you may be stopping
At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in;
Campbell you'll find at that location
Ready to give you information,
Or to see you well provided,
With what is by all decided,
The smoker's and the chewer's glory,
The best and cheapest in Victoria.
F. CAMPBELL.

NEW GOODS.
ON HAND AND ARRIVING A SELECT STOCK of
DRY GOODS,
Consisting of Readymade Clothing, Prints and Dress Goods, specially selected for the trade, Dress Trimmings, Ribbons, Costumes, and a Variety of Ladies' Clothing.
— ALSO —
BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS
AND GENTLEMEN'S HATS IN GREAT VARIETY.
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE
And a full Stock of
THE BEST GROCERIES,
A of which will be sold at greatly REDUCED Rates Call and Examine for yourselves at the
OLD TERMINUS STORE, QUESNELLEMOUTH.
mv31dw6m JAMES REID

ROBERT SMITH,
NOTARY PUBLIC
County Court and Commission Agt.
RENT AND DEBT COLLECTOR.
OFFICE—Government pp. Council Chamber

ON HAND
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS
BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS.
HAS REMOVED
TO JOHNSON STREET, ONE DOOR EAST OF EASTMAN'S BUTCHER SHOP.
Manufactures DRAWERS, UNDERSHIRTS, OVERALLS, Etc., which he offers for sale by wholesale and retail, at low rates. de11

J. SEHL,

Importer and Manufacturer of
FURNITURE
BEDDING, MIRRORS, ETC., IN EVERY VARIETY.
Has Just Received from New York at a low rate of freight,
THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF
Solid Walnut Parlor & Bedroom Sets, Centre & Extension Dining Tables, Sideboards, Whatnots, &c.
PICTURES, FRAMES, MOULDINGS,
WINDOW BLINDS, CARPETS, MATTING,
BIRDCAGES, PERAMBULATORS, ETC.
ALL OF THE LATEST STYLES, AT PRICES LOWER THAN EVER FOR CASH.
Also, a large assortment of
MARBLEIZED IRON MANTLEPIECES,
Equal in finish and more durable than Marble at EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.
☞ Intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to call and examine my Stock of Goods and Prices and judge for themselves.
Orders from the Country promptly attended to.
Goods delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.
no30 J. SEHL, Government Street.

T. S. WILSON,
DEALER IN
PICTURE FRAMES,
MOULDINGS & PICTURES.
PICTURE FRAMES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION MADE TO ORDER.
PICTURES NEATLY MOUNTED.
WALNUT SHOW CASES
On hand and made to order cheaper than can be imported.
CABINET WORK made to order and repaired.
FORT STREET, NEAR GOVERNMENT.
no19

RAFFLE FOR A GOLD NUGGET,
VALUE, $210.
100 CHANCES AT $250 EACH.
THE RAFFLE WILL TAKE PLACE AT
GRAY'S SALOON, GOVERNMENT ST.
As soon as all the Tickets are disposed of. no1

INSURANCE.

MARINE INSURANCE.
FIREMAN'S FUND INSURANCE CO.,
OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
CASH ASSETS OVER $600,000.
THE LOSSES PAID BY THIS COMPANY DURing the past Fifteen Years exceed $3,500,000.
MARINE RISKS TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD COVERED BY
H. F. HEISTERMAN,
AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA, VICTORIA.
se19

PHŒNIX FIRE ASSURANCE CO.
OF LONDON.
ESTABLISHED, - - 1782.
UNLIMITED LIABILITY.
LOSSES PAID, OVER TWELVE MILLION POUNDS sterling.
The Largest and one of the Oldest Insurance Companies in the World.
Insurances effected at Current Rates on the Mainland and Island. Claims settled with Promptitude and liberality. THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent.
Government St., 23d Sept., 1877. se23

ROYAL
INSURANCE COMP'Y,
CAPITAL. - - - £2,000,000.
RISKS ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES OF Premium by
G. M. SPROAT,
AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.
jy1

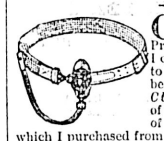
FIRE INSURANCE.
THE SCOTTISH COMMERCIAL
INSURANCE COMPANY
CAPITAL £2,000,000 STERLING.
Risks accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
se4

MARINE INSURANCE
THE UNION INSURANCE CO.
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
ASSETS OVER $1,000,000.
FOR INSURING MERCHANDISE, TREASURE, Commissions, Profits, &c.
INSURANCES ACCEPTED UNDER ENGLISH OR SAN FRANCISCO CONDITIONS.
For information, Rates of Premium, &c., apply to
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD, AGENTS.
Wharf Street, Victoria. oc17

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.
1 OLD BROAD ST., AND 16 PALL MALL, LONDON,
INSTITUTED, - - - - - 1803.
FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER BUILdings, Goods, Wards, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by fire.
SUBSCRIBED AND INVESTED CAPITAL---ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents for British Columbia and Washington Territory
my10

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. CALDER,
Surgical AND Mechanical Dentist
LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,
— OFFICE: —
RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.
je14dw

ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE
—EFFECTED BY—
California Elastic Truss!

CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO., W. J. Horne Proprietor—Dear Sir: I feel that I owe it to you and to humanity to write the fact that I have been *SUBSTANTIALLY CURED* of a bad case of rupture of thirty years' standing, by one of your incomparable Trusses, which I purchased from you three months ago. I cannot describe the suffering, both physically and mentally, that I have undergone during that period; and now I feel like a new being. I have worn all kinds of Trusses, both Steel and Elastic, and never received any permanent relief until I tried yours. Its simplicity of construction, and facility with which it can be adjusted, and the ease and perfect freedom to the motions of the body with which it can be worn without causing any irritation, are its chief merits, and it is a perfect supporter. I have not had any sign of a return of the rupture since the first day I put it on and feel that I am *PERFECTLY CURED*. It is invaluable, and the fact should be known to the world. You can refer anyone to me on the subject of its merits. I am truly yours, ALFRED J. BURKE,
Chief Mail Clerk S. F. Daily Evening Post.
San Francisco, July 20, 1878.
Send for Illustrated Catalogue and Price List.
CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO.
720 Market Street, San Francisco. oc4dw

H. M. WRIGHT. GEO. RUDGE.
VICTORIA MARBLE WORKS

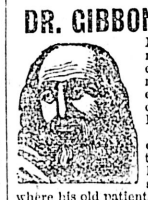
MONUMENTS
TABLETS,
TOMBS, MANTELS
FURNITURE
WORK,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
☞ ALSO, FURNISH STONE FOR BUILDING PURPOSES. ☜
DOUGLAS STREET, BET. CORMORANT AND FISGARD.
WRIGHT & RUDGE, PROPRIETORS.
All Orders promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed. no24dw3m

MEDICAL.

MRS. DR. WEBB,
MIDWIFE AND PHYSICIAN,
GRADUATE OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE, MADRAS, INDIA
HAS LOCATED PERMANENTLY AT CLINTON, B. C.
All diseases and complaints to which humanity is subject skilfully treated. de4dw3m

MR. HELMCKEN
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, VICtoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, and 5 in the evening. mh4

DR. SPINNEY & CO'S
DISPENSARY,
No. 11 KEARNEY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.
DR. SPINNEY, well known as the founder of the Montreal (C. E.) Medical Institute, and late Proprietor of the SPINNEYVILLE INFIRMARY, would most respectfully inform his patients and the afflicted generally, that he still continues to treat chronic and nervous diseases with unparalleled success.
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,
Remember that procrastination is the thief of time so
COME AND BE HEALED!
It matters not what your troubles may be, come and let the Doctor examine your case. It will cost you nothing for consultation, so please call and satisfy yourselves whether the Doctor understands your case. If he can cure you he will tell you so; if not, he will tell you that, for he will not undertake a case unless he is confident of effecting a cure.
Parties at a distance wishing treatment, by sending $25 and a minute description of their troubles will receive in return a full course of treatment securely packed so as not to excite curiosity.
DR. SPINNEY will guarantee to forfeit Five Hundred Dollars for every case of any kind or character which he undertakes and fails to cure.
Call or Address
DR. SPINNEY & CO.,
se22dw1y No. 11 Kearney St., San Francisco.

TO THE UNFORTUNATE.
NEW REMEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!
DR. GIBBON'S DISPENSARY,

No. 623 KEARNY STREET, corner Commercial, San Francisco, established in 1854, for the treatment of Nervous and Chronic diseases of all kinds, Skin Diseases of years' standing and Ulcerated Legs, etc., successfully treated.
DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing that he has returned from visiting the principal hospitals of Europe, and has resumed practice at his Dispensary, where his old patients and those requiring his services may find him.
The Doctor has spared neither time nor money in seeking out new remedies, and has returned with increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.
CURED AT HOME.
Persons at a distance may be CURED AT HOME by addressing a letter to DR. GIBBON, stating case, symptoms, length of time the disease has continued, and have the medicine promptly forwarded, free from damage and curiosity, to any part of the country, with full and plain directions for use. By inclosing TEN DOLLARS in a registered letter through the post office, or through Wells, Fargo & Co., a package of medicine will be forwarded by Express to any part of the world.
Please say you saw this advertisement in the BRITISH COLONIST.
Address, DR. J. F. GIBBON, Box 1957, San Francisco
ap23tf

HOTELS, SALOONS, ETC.

STAR SALOON,
ADJOINING THEATRE ROYAL,
WARNER & CO. - - - PROPRIETORS
Turkies for Christmas and New Year.
SHOOTING FOR TURKIES WILL TAKE place at the "Star Shooting Gallery," DAILY, during the Afternoon and Evening
A CHOICE SELECTION OF GOBBLERS HAS JUST BEEN RECEIVED BY THE PROPRIETORS.
de10

THE GLOBE
HOTEL AND RESTAURANT,
ESQUIMALT.
THE ABOVE HOTEL, WHICH HAS JUST UNdergone a thorough repair and renovation, is now open for the reception of guests. The traveling public will find this establishment very convenient, being close to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's wharf. They will also find the place clean and comfortable and CHARGES MODERATE.

Board and Lodging per Week	$5 50
Board per Week	4 50
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Board per Day	75
Single Meals	3

☞ A Sitting Room for ladies upstairs.
J. McCARTHY, Proprietor.
Esquimalt, B.C., 20th Nov., 1878. no21

PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND CARD
VICTORIA, B. C.
ANDREW ASTRICO, - Proprietor.
THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN HOTEL in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5.50 to $6.50; Board and Loding per day $1. Single Meal 37 1-2 cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜
mh18 3m

FASHION
LIVERY AND SALE STABLES
FORT STREET, VICTORIA,
FRANK SAUNDERS, PROPRIETOR.
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SADDLE HORSES Carriages and double and single Buggies.
Loose Boxes and the best of accommodation for horses boarded by the day, week or month.

MARKET EXCHANGE SALOON
Adjoining the Fashion Livery and Sale Stables.
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS ON APPLIcation at the Bar.
FRANK SAUNDERS, Proprietor.
☞ A FEW GOOD BEDS. je8 3m

THE STAR SALOON
AND SHOOTING GALLERY
HAVE REMOVED
THEIR PREMISES TO THE
THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.
HAVING LAID IN A LARGE STOCK OF AMmunition consisting of a choice
ASSORTMENT OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS,
The proprietor offers the public a chance to draw a *bead*.
au30 H. WARNER & CO., Proprietors.

COLONIAL HOTEL AND DRIARD HOUSE
VIEW STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
The only First Class Hotel in the City.
SUITES OF ROOMS FOR FAMILIES.
je26 REDON & HARTNAGEL, Proprietors.

Daily Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 10TH, 1879.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorised Agent in San Francisco.

THE COMING ELECTION.

Even at the risk of tiring our readers with repeated allusions to civic affairs we feel constrained this morning to call their attention to the merits and claims of several of the candidates who will be nominated for the various wards on Monday next. It is not our present intention to point out the demerits of the four candidates who will henceforth be known as the "quartette," because we feel assured they are so glaring that there is no possibility of the public eye failing to detect them. Our duty on this occasion is to deal with candidates who, if elected, will be a credit to the city and transact its business faithfully and with integrity. To proceed then to our task. In James Bay Ward amongst the candidates will be Messrs. Alex. McLean and J. Smith (of the firm of Smith & Clark). The former gentleman consented to come forward at the request of numerous ratepayers and his election may be regarded as a foregone conclusion. His business qualifications admirably adapt him to the position of a member of the Finance Committee and his well known decision of character will be a guarantee to the ratepayers that if he promises to do anything he will not be found attempting to escape from his obligation. Mr. Smith is well known to the ratepayers as a member of one of the largest building firms in the city. He is a gentleman of energy and enterprise and considerable business experience. Not only is he a somewhat extensive property holder in the ward he will doubtless represent, but at times he is a large employer of labor throughout the city His knowledge of the building trade will stand him in good account when tenders come before the Council for consideration; and will at once prove a check to any possible attempt to award a contract at fancy figures. With Mr. McLean for his colleague James Bay ward will have two able representatives. In Yates Street Ward new blood is also conspicuous, although in one of the candidates we recognize the name of a councillor who represented the city several years since, and who now deems it his duty to come again to her rescue. We refer to Capt. G. G. Walker, who together with Mr. Andrew Rome and Mr. G. Mansell (Mansell & Holroyd) will doubtless meet with hearty support at the hands of the ratepayers. Captain Walker knows every street in the city and understands how repairs can most economically and efficiently be effected. He has resided here for many years and by careful observation has gained valuable knowledge as to the most suitable system for drainage. Being a skilled mechanic himself, he is an excellent judge of good workmanship, and his opinion will no doubt be courted by the rest of the Council. Mr. Rome, although appearing as a candidate for civic honors for the first time since his residence here, is well versed in municipal affairs, having taken quite an interest therein as a keen observer for several years past. He has had a large experience in the mercantile world, which peculiarly qualifies him for the office for which he is now a candidate. By a course of strict integrity he has gained the confidence and esteem of the entire community, and the ratepayers would be guilty of an act of injustice to themselves were they to fail to elect him on Tuesday next. It is to be regretted that more citizens of Mr. Rome's stamp do not evince an interest in municipal matters. In Mr. G. Mansell we have another excellent candidate, and from the manner in which he was received during a personal canvass of the ward, there can be no doubt as to his election. He is a man who has the gift of application which, aided by perseverance and good judgment, renders failure something almost unknown to him. A person who displays great care in the management of his own business, may generally be entrusted with safety to conduct the affairs of others. In matters of detail as well as of magnitude Mr. Mansell will be found to be a close investigator and, so far as he is concerned, the ratepayers may rest assured the municipal revenue will be economically and judicially expended. In Johnson Street Ward the two present representatives—Couns. Williams and Dalby—will be opposed by Mr. C. W. R. Thompson, and Mr. J. Kinsman. Mr. Thompson is a gentleman known personally to a majority of the ratepayers. He is an admirable financier and possesses rare business qualifications, which will prove of great value to the Council. Being also a large property holder, his aim will doubtless be to keep down the rate of taxation, but at the same time to carry out as many improvements as the revenue of the city will permit of. It may be relied on that Mr. Thompson will take an independent course in all matters and will sanction no transaction having about it the taint of "ring" or the semblance of jobbery. Mr. Kinsman is the last candidate with whom we have to deal to-day. That gentleman is one of the best citizens we have and, known as he is to be a man of honesty and integrity, he will doubtless be very favorably received at the polls. He is one of the most extensive contractors in the city and a skilled mechanic as well. No citizen is better versed in the manner in which public works should be prosecuted and when Mr. Kinsman gives his opinion on sewerage, filtration, culverts, drains and a hundred other important matters, he will speak with an authority which will be of great value to the Council. We are glad to see he is alive to the necessity of bringing about civic reform and a better administration of affairs. Let the people show their appreciation of his spirit by electing him with Mr. Thompson. Johnson Street Ward will then have two able representatives. This is but a brief *resume* of some of the candidates at present in the field, who, believing the time has arrived when a change in the Municipal Government is desirable, ask the electors to extend their suffrages to them on Tuesday next. Those who have closely observed the manner in which city affairs have been conducted during the past twelve months, have doubtless at times noticed the scandalous and high-handed manner in which questionable transactions have been forced through the Council. But the ratepayers in a very few days will have an opportunity to render a recurrence of such nefarious dealings impossible by electing candidates to represent them who will be party to no transaction that is not honorable, straight-forward and above-board. Should the ratepayers fail to avail themselves of the chance presented they will assuredly live to regret it—and that in the near future.

THE CITY HALL SIDEWALK

The members of that brilliant municipal constellation known as the "quartette" are welcome to all the gratification they can possibly extract from the disreputable condition of the City Hall sidewalk. They are welcome also to all the laurels of victory they can gather from the so-called "investigation," held on Wednesday evening. But even with this load of greatness upon them and this halo of glory about them, they cannot hoodwink the ratepayers and make them believe the side-walk transaction was what it should have been. Ocular demonstration for five minutes in this matter is worth more than all the highfalutin sentences and murdered Queen's English the silvery tongued quartette can relieve themselves of in five days or five years. The sidewalk is there and it speaks for itself in a far more forcible manner than can any of those who advocated its construction can. It is all very well for the Architect to say that the contractor performed the work to his (Mr. Teague's) satisfaction, but that does not do away with the fact that the sidewalk is now absolutely rotten and will require to be reconstructed in several places. It is all very fine, too, for the "quartette" to say that it would never have been in its present condition had it not been built too late in the season. We will admit, for the sake of argument, that such is the case. But who, we would ask, voted for its construction at that late season? The quartette! Surely they knew what month of the year it was when the contract was signed and surely they must have been aware what the inevitable result of performing the work at that time would be. "But," say the quartette, "it was all Coun. Todd's fault because he put off the business so long." What puerile bosh. Of course Coun. Todd put the matter off as long as he could, for was he not a member of the minority and opposed to the construction of the sidewalk from first to last? But was that any reason why the constellation, merely to display its unusual brilliancy, should insist on the prosecution of a public work in the depth of winter which could only be properly and successfully carried out in favorable weather. Faugh! We are sick of listening to the special pleadings of councillors who have made an eggregious blunder but have not sufficient manliness to admit it. Here is the record; let the ratepayers digest it:—"Nov. 7th, 1878.—Coun. Dalby moved that the lowest tender for the patent stone sidewalk be accepted." A debate ensued and the Mayor protested against the expenditure on grounds of illegality. Finally the report says:—"The question was then put and the resolution was carried on the following division: For—WILLIAMS, MARVIN, DALBY and SHAKESPEARE. Against—Todd, Turner and Redfern. On the request of Coun. Redfern the vote was recorded in the minute book." This shows pretty conclusively on whom the blame rests for letting a contract for a patent stone sidewalk in the month of November—one of the most unfavorable months of the twelve for the performance of such work. Perhaps the quartette will explain what induced them to mistake winter for summer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.

THE PARK HOTEL ON BEACON HILL—
ja10 Enquire on the Premises.

ELECTION EXPENSES PAID ON BEHALF OF J. P. Davies by A. R. Robertson, his agent.

Sheriff Harris, deposit	$ 50 00
J. E. McMillan	15 00
Standard Office	58 00
	$123 00

THOS. HARRIS, Returning Officer.
Victoria, Jan. 3rd, 1879. ja 10lm

ELECTION EXPENSES PAID ON BEHALF OF J. P. Davies by Joshua Davies, his agent.

Advertising, *Colonist*		$100 00
E. Webb, Clerk		35 00
L. Nathan do		65 00
Geo. Francis, buggy hire	$13 00	
W. G. Bowman, do	17 00	
do do	10 00	
G. Winter, carriage	22 00	
		73 00
J. C. Prevost, voters' lists		9 00
		$282 00

THOS. HARRIS, Returning Officer.
Victoria Jan. 3rd, 1879. ja10 1m

THOS. NICHOLSON,
GENERAL DEALER
—IN—
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
WINES, LIQUORS, ETC.
COR. OF JOHNSON AND DOUGLAS STS.
ja10

SHEEP FOR SALE.

ABOUT FIVE HUNDRED EWES AND THREE hundred wethers. The ewes will lamb in April. Apply to A. B. GRAY & CO.,
ja9 1m dw Government Street, Victoria.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BERNHEIM & MARKS,
FORT WRANGLE,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
CLOTHING AND
MINERS' TOOLS AND SUPPLIES.
Special attention will be paid to MINERS' OUTFITS which can be supplied by us at
CHEAPER RATES
Than they can be purchased at in Victoria. ja1 2m

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia—In Chancery.

Between Frederick Reynolds, by his next friend Alexander Holmes, Plaintiff,
AND
Job Batchelor, Defendant.

Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1878.

THIS COURT DOTH DECLARE THAT THE INjunction awarded by the order dated the 23rd day of November, 1878, has been and do stand dissolved.
de25 HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE, J.

O, Jemima!
WHERE DID YOU GET THAT
LOVELY ROAST BEEF FROM?
I GOT IT AT THE
ISLAND MARKET,
And that is where we are going to get
OUR CHRISTMAS ROAST FROM
For the Meat you get there is as tender as a Chicken and
PORTER
Says he is going to have the second lot down from Nicola Valley to-day so that we shall be sure to. I shall tell all my friends to give him a call.
DON'T FORGET IT IS
The Island Market,
COR. OF JOHNSON & DOUGLAS STREET.
de18

JAMES SYME,
ARCHITECT
Masonic Building, Government St.,
je3 VICTORIA, B. C.

FLOWERS! FLOWERS!!
JAS. MOSS,
BROAD STREET,
HAS ON HAND A SPLENDID STOCK OF IMMORTELLES, FANCY GRASSES, AND OTHER ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS
de15 DECORATIONS.

EVENING LESSONS
GIVEN IN FRENCH, GERMAN, MATHEMATICS (including Trigonometry, Algebra, Geometry and Arithmetic.)
For further particulars apply to
R. OFFERHAUS,
no6 15 Collegiate School, Rae St., Victoria

HIGHEST CASH PRICE
—PAID FOR—
FURS AND DEER SKINS.
REMOVAL—THE BUSINESS OF J. BOSCOWITZ has been removed to Rowland's two-story brick building on Johnson street, south side, between Waddington Alley and Wharf street.
au27 GEO. PAPPENBERGER, Manager.

CARPETS.
JUST RECEIVED A FINE SELECTION OF
BRUSSELS, TAPESTRY, KIDDER AND
Felt Carpets,
FLOOR OILCLOTH,
HEARTH RUGS, DOOR MATS, ETC.
—AT—
BURNS & CO.'S,
de19 Corner of Yates and Broad Streets.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO
CARRYING H.M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO'S EXPRESS

THE FIRST-CLASS STEAMSHIP
ALASKA,
CAPT. SEABURY,
Will sail from Esquimalt Harbor on
FRIDAY, JANUARY 10th,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,
All freight and baggage for her must be on the wharf at VICTORIA BY THURSDAY THE 9TH AT 5 P. M.
For Freight or Passage apply to
ja5 ENGELHARDT & CO., Agents.

Lion Brewery,
SPRING RIDGE.
STUART & KEAST.
TOWN OFFICE:
WHARF ST.
de11 FOOT OF YATES STREET.

W. H. BROOKS,
BOOK-KEEPER AND ACCOUNTANT,
BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF VICTORIA that he is prepared to draw up Balance Sheets, adjust partnership accounts, and undertake any work of a similar description. The strictest secrecy may be implicitly relied on.
Orders left at Messrs. Waitt & Co., or at *The Colonist* office will be promptly attended to. ja3

HENRY RHODES & CO.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the firm of Henry Rhodes & Co. are requested to send them in to the undersigned.
HENRY RHODES & CO.,
Store Street.
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 4, 1879. ja5

HENRY RHODES, DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the late Mr. Rhodes are requested to send in the same to the undersigned.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for the Executors.
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 4, 1879. ja5

NOTICE.

DURING THE ABSENCE OF Mr. LOW SYE from this City Mr. Cheng Leong will from this date be acting manager for the undersigned firm until further notice.
SUN YEE CHAN.
Store Street, Victoria, Jan. 4th, 1879. ja4

NOTICE.

A MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Hibernia Company will be held at the American Hotel on Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.
By order of the Directors.

WANTED.
WANTED
THREE WOMEN—ONE TO MAKE BUTTONholes, one to work on a plaiting machine, and a good trimmer. Also, two apprentices. Apply to
MRS. WILLIAMSON,
no9 1m Fort street.

A CARD.
MR. E. J. DURNY, ORGANIST, BEGS TO INform the public generally, and his pupils especially, that the report in circulation that he is about to leave the city is false and malicious. de22

MR. E. J. DURNY
WILL GIVE LESSONS ON THE R. E. CHURCH Organ. Terms $10 per month.
PIANO LESSONS $5 per month.
Orders to be left with Waitt & Co., Government street. de6

Incorporated Law Society of British Columbia.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE above Society will be held at the office of the undersigned on Friday the third day of January next, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of considering the subject of retainer of Counsel, and also the new scale of costs.
Victoria, 23rd, December, 1878.
de24 W. POLLARD, Secretary.

REMOVAL.
THEODORE DAVIE HAS REMOVED TO THE office on the ground floor of the *Standard* building, on Langley street, vacated by Allsop & Mason.
de20

GRAND CHANCE
—FOR—
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!
THE ENTIRE STOCK OF
WATCHES AND JEWELRY
AT RUDOLPH'S ON GOVERNMENT STREET
TO BE SOLD OFF AT COST!
Now Is Your Time! de17

WE BEG TO NOTIFY
THE PUBLIC THAT THE SALE OF THE STOCK in Trade of
MR. HY. RUDOLPH, JEWELLER,
WILL BE SOLD AT
COST PRICES
The object of the Mortgagees being only to get back their money, which was advanced to purchase the goods. de21

W. TIPPINS',
FORT STREET,
The Cheapest House in town for
CANDIES AND FRUITS!
The finest Apples, Oranges, Nuts, Sweets, &c., &c. to be had at W. TIPPINS', Fort street, next to Thos Gorrie's.
☞ No connection with the store next door. de24

CHEAP COAL.
THE BEST HAREWOOD COAL
SUITABLE FOR HOUSEHOLD PURPOSES,
For sale by the undersigned at
$7 PER TON OF 2,000 LBS.
DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.
ENGELHARDT & CO., WHARF STREET.
de20

BE IN TIME FOR EVERYTHING CHEAP!
JUST IMPORTED!
FROM ANTWERP, PARIS, LONDON AND NEW YORK
A LARGE STOCK OF
FANCY GOODS,
TOYS, GUNS, PISTOLS.
PERAMBULATORS, WAGONS,
SLEIGHS, TEA SETS,
And other goods suitable for Christmas and New Year's Presents, all NEW STYLES,
Which will be Sold at the Lowest Rate for Cash.

The undersigned having during the year completed his arrangements to purchase direct from the manufacturers is now enabled to supply his numerous customers and the public generally at
THIRTY PER CENT. BELOW LAST YEAR'S PRICES.
Call Early and you will find everything you want.
T. GORRIE'S
PIONEER VARIETY STORE, FORT STREET
VICTORIA. ESTABLISHED OVER 20 YEARS.
☞ The Usual Raffle will take place on New Year's Eve. [de4] THOS. GORRIE.

CARPETS & RUGS.
BRUSSELS AND TAPESTRY
Carpets & Rugs
OF THE BEST QUALITY AND LASTEST DESIGNS
EX "PRINCE RUPERT,"
Are Now Open and For Sale by
THE HUDSON'S BAY CO'Y.
de12

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

ALLSOP & MASON
HAVE REMOVED TO
GOVERNMENT ST., OPP. LONDON HOUSE.
de18

CARD OF THANKS.

THE SISTERS OF ST. ANN, BOTH OF THE Convent and St. Joseph's Hospital, beg leave to thank the public of Victoria for their liberal patronage during their recent bazaar, as well as for the donations so willingly granted in favor of it.
They also beg to tender their sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who so generously volunteered their services to make their fair successful.
The receipts amounted to $1205 80. ja4

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ASSOCIATED WITH ME IN business Mr. John McDowell, of Herald street, Contractor. The firm name and address will be
MALLANDAINE & McDOWELL,
ARCHITECTS,
Government street, a little below Fort.
EDWD. MALLANDAINE.
Victoria, B.C., 1st Jan., 1879. ja1

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.

MEMBERS ARE NOTIFIED THAT THE NEXT monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday January 8th, 1879, at 7:30 p.m.
de29 CHARLES MING, Secretary

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1878 CHRISTMAS. NEW YEAR, 1879.
LONDON MARKET,
COR. YATES AND DOUGLAS STS.
VICTORIA, B. C.
LEADENHALL MARKET,
COR. GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STS,
VICTORIA, B. C.
LOOK OUT FOR OUR STALL FED BEEVES FROM NORTH DAIRY FARM, NEAR VICTORIA.
ANNUAL SHOW OF
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S MEATS!!
FROM THE VALLEYS OF SEMILKAMEEN, NICOLA, OKANAGAN, &c., &c.
ALL BUNCH GRASS FED AND AFTERWARDS STALL FED AT NORTH DAIRY FARM,
A look at the above Beeves will well repay a visitor.
ALSO---MUTTON AND LAMB WHICH CANNOT BE EQUALLED!
PORK, CORN FED, DON'T FORGET TO SEE IT, AS IT IS A SIGHT FOR EVERYONE!
VEAL, FROM THE BEST FARMS ON THE ISLAND AND MAINLAND!
SUCKING PIGS IN PROFUSION.
TURKEYS—The Largest and best in the Province.
GEESE—Only look at them; they are Fine.
CHICKENS, &c., &c. In fact everything in our line for the Season.
Customers and the generous public are invited to pay a visit to both Markets, and their orders will be attended to with care and promptness. de21 F. REYNOLDS.

THE GENUINE ARTICLE!
OXFORD SAUSAGES
SAUSAGES 12½ CTS. PER LB. 12½ CTS. PER LB. SAUSAGES
SAUSAGES MADE ACCORDING TO THE FAMOUS "OXFORD RECIPE,"
From Pure Grain Fed Pork.
NO TRIMMINGS, CUTTINGS, OR SMOKE-HOUSE REFUSE USED—ONLY THE BEST OF MEAT.
One trial will prove to the satisfaction of everyone that these are
THE BEST IN THE MARKET!
F. REYNOLDS,
Wholesale & Retail Butcher,
LONDON & LEADENHALL MARKETS,
no15 VICTORIA, B. C.

FOR FAT TURKIES AND GEESE
—GO TO—
J. HAWKIN'S
COR. FORT AND DOUGLAS STREETS,
WHO HAS A SPLENDID STOCK ON HAND Fed on
MR. MILLS' FARM, SAANICH, AND MR. NICHOLSON'S FARM, LAKE DISTRICT,
Which he offers for sale at MODERATE PRICES.
All goods delivered promptly and free of charge.
de17

EX "PRINCE RUPERT"
PORTLAND CEMENT.
SHOT—All sizes, in 25 lb. bags.
GUNS—Double and Single Barrels.
GUN CAPS—Military and Waterproof,
VINEGAR—In Hhds, ½-Casks Octs. & Cases.
CURRANTS—In Cases.
PRICE'S CANDLES.
LEA & PERRINS' Worcester Sauce.
BRYANT & MAY'S Matches.
SARDINES; Patent Groats.
CHICORY,
COOK'S MOTTLED SOAP.
—FOR SALE BY—
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
WHARF STREET.
de12 1m

A BARGAIN!

50 COTSWOLD EWES IN LAMB.
1 Span of Horses, work double or single.
1 Good Saddle Horse, suitable for a lady.
For sale by T. W. CARTER,
de17dwis1m Hillside.

REQUISITION.

To J. H. TURNER, Esq.

SIR:—We the undersigned Ratepayers of Victoria City request that you will allow yourself to be placed in nomination for Mayor for the ensuing term, and we undertake to support you if you will consent to serve.

R. Finlayson, Mayor	H. O. Tiedemann
N. Shakespeare,	J. Roland Hett
A. McLean	Henry Gribble
Wm. Dalby	John Goodacre
J. H. Todd	R. W. Fawcett
Chas. E. Redfern	James Fell
E. B. Marvin	Clark H. Lambkin
J. W. Williams	John Stewart
Wm. Wilson	John Braden
Wm. Andean	Arthur Vipond
Wm. McKay	W. G. Bowman
W. J. Jeffree	James Burns
Wm. Wilson	Thomas Nicholson
A. Ofner	George Colman
John Parker	Rd Maynard
C. W. Kammerer	John Ash
L. Goodacre	F. Saunders, C.E., V.F.D.
Wm. Charles (H.B.Co)	Hy Cogan
Alex. Munro	A. A. Green
E. Grancini	G. G. Walker
J. E. McMillan	Andrew Rome
Edward Willson	Joseph Wilson
H. Waller	Fredk Norris
Geo. Morison	T. G. Moody
Fred. J. Morison	J. Huntington
Alex. B. Gray	John Vaughan
Thos. Basil Humphreys	Wm. C. Bryant
R. Roberts	Lyndon LeMesyre
Wm. Craft	Wm. Muldoon
T. N. Hibben	Wm. Field
H. L. Jones	Wm. Geo. Norris
T. H. Tye	John Murray
J. Heywood	Wm. Spofford
M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake	J. M. Metcalf
J. Harrison	W. Keohan
Charles McK Smith	A. Beswick
Robert Wallace	F. J. Harding
B. W. Pearse	L. Blum
I. W. Powell	A. Gilmore
Alex. Wilson	H. Saunders
Wm. Harrison	Wm. Armstrong
Peter McQuade	Wm. Field
J. S. Helmcken	James Barnes
R. P. Rithet	R. Copeland
Edgar Marvin	— Haley
David Lenoven	John Walt
W. C. Ward	E. Whitley
M. W. Waitt	John Collis
Richd Carr	A Buler
J. McB. Smith	James Millar
Alf. J. Langley	John Morley
Thos. Earle	G. E. Smith
John Cameron	John M. Read
D. Green	Fred Paine
F. J. Norton	C. J. Phillips
A. C. Ackerman	J. Dolan
F. Burgess	Henry Soar
I. Oppenheimer	P. McTiernan
J. C. Davie, M.D.	

REPLY.

VICTORIA, B. C., 27th Dec., 1878.

To R. FINLAYSON, Esq., and the other Signers of the above,

GENTLEMEN:—I thank you for the requisition you have favored me with, and in reply beg to say that I am quite willing to allow myself to be nominated for Mayor of Victoria for the year 1879, and if elected will do my best to promote the welfare of our city.
I remain, Gentlemen,
Yours very respectfully,
de28 J. H. TURNER.

ATTENTION!!
ONE OF THE LARGEST
—AND—
BEST SELECTED ASSORTMENT OF
BOOTS & SHOES
On the Pacific Coast, north of San Francisco, can be found at
H. MANSELL'S
BOOT AND SHOE ESTABLISHMENT,
GOVERNMENT ST., OPP. THE POSTOFFICE, VICTORIA, B. C.
N. B.---All Goods Will be Sold at the Lowest Cash Prices.
GENTS' BOOTS MADE TO ORDER IN ALL THE VARIOUS TYLES.
BEST MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP.
CORK, SCOTCH, OR ANY OTHER KIND OF BOTTOMS.
☞ Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch. Country Orders promptly attended to. de19

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS
A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
Watches, Jewellery, Diamonds,
SILVERWARE AND FANCY GOODS,
—AT—
C. E. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,
Which are Offered for Sale at the Lowest Possible Prices.
C. R. Invites his customers and the public generally to call and inspect his Sto which they will find is superior to anything of the kind hitherto offered in Victoria.
SPECTACLES AND OTHER OPTICAL GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY.
de18

MILLINERY,
FLOWERS, FEATHERS,
ETC., ETC., ETC.
THE LATEST STYLES JUST RECEIVED
Will be sold at Reduced Rates.
MISS RUTLAND, FORT STREET.
de27

NEW GOODS!
NEW GOODS!!
NEW GOODS!!!
SEVEN WEEKS FROM ENGLAND, ARRIVED PER "DAKOTA"

Black Cloth Jackets,	Corsets in variety, newest shapes, &c.
Ulsters,	Girls' Cloth Costumes,
Shawls,	Ladies' and Children's Winter Hose, (large assortment)
Ulster Tweeds,	Children's Cashmere Cloaks,
Scotch Tweeds,	Black and Colored Kid Gloves,
Black Cashmeres,	60-inch Hambro Damask,
Black French Merinos,	100-inch Black Linen Damask,
Colored French Merinos,	Quilts and Tablecloths,
Colored Plaids,	Furniture Chintz, Diapers,
Baltic Flannels,	Double Warp and Twill Sheetings,
Black Alpacas,	Rough Brown and Dressed Hollands,
Persian Cords,	Horrocks' and Crewdson's Cottons,
Russell Cords,	Lace Curtains,
Coma Cloth,	Short Window Blinds.
Black Crapes,	

Artificial Flowers, Ribbons, &c., &c.

A fine assortment Ladies' Felt, &c., Skirts. Tailors' Trimmings a Specialty
WARREN & YORK,
de24 OPPOSITE LONDON BAZAAR, GOVERNMENT STREET.

JUST RECEIVED!
EX STR. "DAKOTA,"
A FULL LINE OF
BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING,
ALSO, ULSTERS & BOYS' HATS
The above goods will be sold
20 PER CENT. CHEAPER than can be had elsew
ON HAND
ENGLISH WATERPROOF MACKINTOSHES.
At invoice prices; also, the usual complement of
CUSTOM-MADE CLOTHING AT
DAVID GREEN'S,
de24 Government St., opp. Post Office.

Daily Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 10TH, 1879.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Jan. 9—Str Alaska, Port Townsend.
Str Olympia, New Westminster.
Str Isabel, Port Townsend.

CLEARED.

Jan. 9—Str Alaska, San Francisco.
Str Otter, New Westminster.
Str Enterprise, New Westminster.
Str Isabel, Nanaimo.

FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Honolulu, Dec. 2.— Arrived—British bark Hazlehurst, from Victoria, and sailed for Hongkong.

Dec. 5—Sailed—Ship Wealthy Pendleton, for Victoria.

Dec. 9—Arrived—Bark Camden, from Port Gamble.

Dec. 10—Sailed—Bark Camden, for Port Gamble.

Yokohama, Dec. 11—Sailed—German bark Dr. Peterman, for Victoria; also ship City of Boston, for Port Gamble.

Port Townsend, Jan. 6—Arrived—Ship Belvidere, schooner Reporter and schooner Siren, (Thayer) from San Francisco, and bark Jennie Pitts, Honolulu.

Port Gamble, Jan. 6—Arrived—Bark, David Hoadley, from San Francisco.

Milton, Jan 6—Arrived—Schooner Excelsior, Capt. Kustel, fifteen days from San Francisco.

Port Ludlow, Jan 6—Sailed—Schr. Luka, for Honolulu.

Port Townsend, Jan. 6—Sailed—Barkentine Catherine Sudden, for Melbourne.

Port Gamble, Jan 6—Arrived—Bark Jenny Pitts, Honolulu.

Port Gamble, Jan 7—Sailed—Ship Sagamore for Vallejo.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmr Isabel fm Port Townsend—R & Co, B & G, JG, HS, PC, JF, J Lovy, A C McDonald, HS, J Riley, G Reynolds.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 12.30 o'clock, at Kreimler's Farm, Victoria Arm, hay, oats, straw, harness, agricultural implements, &c.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Chilliwhack.

Our special correspondent writing from this section of the country under date of the 4th inst says:—The weather for some time back has been delightful—bright sunny days, and clear frosty moonlight nights. The roads are now in splendid condition for wagoning. Messrs. Wells and Boyd's mills commenced work to-day. Unfortunately, the Chadsey mills must be removed again, for a bar in the river turns the current right upon the bank opposite the mill and is washing it rapidly away. They are making preparation to remove it. They have the sympathy of the entire settlement in their unfortunate battle with the Fraser. The Government should try and stop the encroachments of the river at this point, for if it should make headway behind the mountain it will do incalculable damage to property, and would leave Mr. Millar's fine house on a rocky island. Fourteen settlers have organized under the "Drainage Act," to open up a large drain some three miles long from lot 379, township 26 west, to Squi Allah. Messrs. Cawley and Reece are chosen as commissioners and the site of the drain is marked out, cleared of brush, and the levels taken. The fall is 32 feet from point of commencement to its mouth. The undertaking can't fail to be a success, as it will drain a large tract of land hitherto useless except in fostering frogs and wild ducks. Mr. C. Ross got his foot broken about two weeks ago while moving a house belonging to Mr. Dunville. The mails arrive and depart very irregularly. No papers this week, and none until Wednesday or Thursday. The regular steamer made her last trip down, last Monday for this season; but the "Gem" is expected to make some trips if the river keeps open. Church dinners and socials are the orders of the day. A dinner was given by the ladies of the Methodist Church. in Mr. Toop's residence opposite the church, on New Year's day. The tables fairly groaned under their load of choice edibles, not mentioning boxes untouched. The dinner over, all repaired to the church and a lengthy programme of readings, interspersed with choice music, was carried out. Rev. C. L. Thompson makes a capital Chinaman. Mrs. Thompson and Miss Wells presided at the organ. Rev. Mr. Ditchman and Mr. Peers gave speeches. Several local amateurs took part in the music and readings, and Mr. Irwin came in at the grand *finale* with his cornet, accompanied by the whole audience in singing the National Anthem. The proceeds netted about $125, to be devoted towards wiping off the debt on the parsonage. Municipal politics are wakening up. A. S. Vedder and S. Cawley will compete for the Wardenship. The temperance question will have something to do in deciding the result. Sunday, Jan. 5th, it is snowing heavily.

FESTIVAL.—St. John's Sunday School held their annual festival last evening at the school house, Herald street; the attendance of children, friends and parents being very large. The little ones were first well supplied with tea cake and other good things in order to give them courage to sing a few christmas carols. The magic lantern exhibited by Rev. P. Jenns was a source of great amusement to all. After three little girls had each given a piano-forte solo, which they did admirably well for children of their ages, prizes were distributed and a vote of thanks having been tendered to the Rev. P. Jenns, coupled with the teachers and visitors, the party separated highly delighted with their festival.

FORESTERS.—At a regular meeting of Court Northern Light No. 5935 held last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months:—Bro. W. Trickey, C.R.; G.P. Rosson, S.C.R.; H. Smith, Treasurer; J. L. G. Armstrong, Secretary; F.G. Richards, sr., S. W.; C. Taylor, J. W.; David Green, S. B.; F. Allatt, J.B. The officers were duly installed in their respective positions by D.S.C.R. Bro. E.J. Salmon.

NEW QUARTERS.—Mr. John Wilson, of the Garrick's Head, moved yesterday into his new building, situate on the corner of Government and Bastion streets. The saloon, which is admirably fitted up, is one of the best in the city and will no doubt be more extensively patronized than the old premises. Hot lunch will be served as usual. The building is a great improvement on those dilapidated shanties which were removed to make way for it.

CHANGE OF STEAMERS.—The steamer Enterprise will leave at 6 o'clock this morning for Finlayson's cannery, Fraser River, while the Otter will sail at 8 a.m. with the mails, etc., instead of the Olympia, as it is feared the latter will not be able to get up the river in the present low stage of the water.

Puget Sound.

[From the Intelligencer.

Work on Messrs. Martin & McKenzie's new steamer, which is being built by Capt. Mitchell, is progressing very well; and as soon as the patterns are completed a much larger force of men will be set to work. The frame is rapidly being put together in a substantial manner.

Messrs. Piper and Reinig took advantage of the recent freeze-up and each employed a large force of men to cut and put up considerable quantities of ice for summer use. Over one hundred tons were packed in the ice houses, which were constructed with double walls, the space between being filled with sawdust.

At the next term of the District Court in this city, the firm of Crawford & Harrington will bring suit against the stockholders of the Talbot Coal Company to recover some eighteen thousand dollars alleged to be due them.

Thomas Grant, mate of the North Pacific, had one of his feet badly mashed a few days ago while assisting in the unloading of some heavy casting at Port Gamble.

[From the Tribune.]

A sensation was caused at Olympia last night by the arrest of Mr. Hall, a well known attorney of that city, of some eight years standing, and a law partner of Judge Dennison. He was arrested by a detective who arrived here on the Alaska, for an alleged defalcation of a large amount of money from a Vermont bank some ten years ago.

Municipal Police Court.

Before H. C. Courtney, Esq., P. M.]

THURSDAY, Jan. 9.

William Steinberger, on remand from Jan. 2nd, charged with having unlawfully cut down and stolen two trees, the property of G. H. Wilson Brown.

His Honor said he would go out and visit the place where the trees were cut down and generally enquire into the boundaries, &c., after which he would give judgment.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—Ophir 33¼; Mex 30¾; G & C 11⅝; B & B 21½; Cala 10⅝; Savage 13½; Con Va 8½; Cala 10¾; Chollar 45; H & N 14¼; Point 3.85; Jacket 16½; Impl 80c; Kentuck 4; Alpha 11⅞; Belcher 4.15; Confidence 10⅝; S Nevada 43; Utah 13¾; Bullion 7⅜; Exchequer 5; Overman 9⅞; Justice 4.25; Succor 30c; Julia 3.50; Caledonia 2.65.

DOMINION LODGE, No. 4, I. O. O. F.—The officers of the above lodge for the current term were installed in ample form by Bro. W. J. Jeffree, M.W.G.M., assisted by the officers of the Grand Lodge of B.C., as follows: Bro. M. J. Goode, P.G., N.G.; Bro. P. Babington, V.G.; Bro. W. H. Dorman, R. & P. Sec.; Bro. W. D. McKillican, P.G., T.; Bro. D. R. Rule, W.; Bro. G. L. Howe, C.; Bro. J. A. Cridge, O.G.; Bro. J. D. Campbell, I.G.; Bro. A. Jack, R.S.N.G.; Bro. E. Bray, R.S.V.G. After the installation the members were suitably entertained by the newly elected officers.

MARINE.—The steamer Alexander will leave at 9 o'clock this morning with the barque Hecla, from San Francisco to Nanaimo for coal, and will then tow down the bark Catalina laden with coal from Departure Bay for San Francisco. The steamer Pilot left yesterday for Nanaimo with a ship in tow. The steamer towed the barque Hecla, from San Francisco, into Esquimalt. The steamer Woodside will leave to-day with stores, for Texada Island.

JOHNSON STREET WARD.—We are authorized to mention Mr. John Kinsman's name as a candidate for Johnson Street Ward instead of that of Mr. Wm. McKay. Mr. Kinsman, who is one of our oldest and best citizens, is a working man, one of our largest contractors and a good mechanic. He will be of great service in Council should he be elected. It is to be hoped the electors will rally round him and Mr. Thompson and give them both a triumphant return.

A BON BON DANCE was given last evening at the Pavilion Skating Rink at which about sixty couples were present. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and all present seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. Professor Haynes' band was in attendance and discoursed some very good dance music. Dancing was sustained until the small hours of the morning.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The following passengers were booked to sail by the Alaska up to 4 p.m. yesterday: Mrs. Roscoe and family, Mrs. Howerson, Miss Dumas, Capt. Harris, R.N., W. N. Diggle, Esq., R.N., C. Dumas and Hy. Scotland.

STILL FROZEN.—The Columbia river is still blocked up with ice, in consequence of which no Eastern, California or Oregon mail has reached here for several days.

FARMERS, ATTENTION!—W. R. Clarke will sell to-day at Kriemler's farm a lot of hay, straw, oats, agricultural implements, &c. See advertisement in another column.

PORTLAND MAILS.—On account of the Columbia River being frozen over the steamship Alaska this trip takes down all Portland mails and will return with all mail matter for that town unless the river should open in the meanwhile.

THE steamer Isabel arrived from the Sound at 2.30 p.m. yesterday with the Sound mails, a few passengers and a small freight.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER.—The prayer meeting for to-night will take place at Mr. Reid's Church on Pandora street. All are invited.

THE steamship Alaska arrived yesterday from the Sound and will leave at noon to-day for San Francisco.

THE steamship Dakota will leave San Francisco at noon to-day for Esquimalt.

THE steamer Isabel left at 10 p.m. yesterday for Nanaimo for coal.

THE mail will close at 10:30 a.m. to-day for San Francisco.

Municipal Election.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I never applied to be employed as poll-clerk. Some one has taken a liberty with my name.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE.

TRY THE MAGIC SOAP STONE POLISH for cleaning silver, brass, copper, windows, etc. For sale by D. & P. Davies, sole agents for British Columbia. *

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Morning Dispatch.

YAKOOB KHAN FOLLOWING SHERE ALI.

Dreadful Plague in Russia.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Major Cavagnari reports rumors that Yakoob Khan is preparing to follow Shere Ali in his flight to the Russian frontier. The Gherlzia Chiefs, with the exception of Azmatullah Khan, all sent friendly messages.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 8—The plague has caused a general panic in Astrakhan and Saratow. The correspondent of the *Golos* writes that the plague commenced in a village in the district of Enotaivik. Precautions against the disease was at first neglected, as it was mistaken for typhus. When the weather became warmer the people died like flies, and the dead lay unburied in the streets. The infected district has been surrounded by troops and communication with Moscow has been stopped. General anxiety prevails throughout Russia. It is supposed that the deaths have been more numerous than stated.

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—Bismarck appears to be taking every opportunity for declaring himself in favor of protection.

Afternoon Dispatch.

AFFAIRS OF THE CORNISH BANK.

INTENSE COLD EAST

BEACONSFIELD BETTER.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—The liabilities of the Cornish Bank are £65,000, being much less than supposed. The uneasiness in Cornwall is allayed, and the drain on other banks is considerably decreased.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—12 of the vacant seats in the Chamber of Deputies, caused by unseating and death will be filled on the 2d of February. Defourter Demeer, a well known Clericalist and Past Decassagac will stand for reelection.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—60 young men having quitted Thaun, Alsace, to avoid conscription have each been sentenced by default to pay a fine of 12,000 marks or 200 days' imprisonment and to seizure of their property to pay fines.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Beaconsfield passed a very good night. The gout is passing away.

EASTERN STATES.

GALVESTON, Jan. 9.—Thos Reed, for seven years cashier of the National Bank has absconded. The president offers one thousand dollars reward for his capture.

Clark Hubbard, wife and 2 children *en route* to the West from Sherman, were frozen to death near Hidot Point on the night of the 5th.

PITTSTON, Pa., Jan. 9.—At 7 o'clock this morning, just after the miners had descended into the Pennsylvania Coal Co's. shaft No. 4, near this place, a terrible gas explosion occurred near the carriage way by which several men are supposed to have been killed. There has been for the past few days a great change going on in a few mines adjoining, No. 4 making itself visible upon the surface by immense crevices, toppling over of school houses, dwellings, etc. The gas forced itself in No. 4 and when Peter Daley, mining boss, opened the door leading to the old workings, an explosion took place that shook the earth in the vicinity with terrific force. It will take probably two weeks to get the shaft into working order.

HELENA, Jan. 9.—On the 27th inst. the mail driver Casey left Sun river in the mail cart for Fort Benton. Not reaching 28-mile Springs station, half way to Benton, and a blinding snowstorm prevailing at the time it is supposed he was lost. A search was made and on the 5th inst. Casey was found seated in the cart which the horse was drawing slowly along about 20 miles north of the Springs Station. During all this time he had wandered on the prairie in nearly a circle, picketing his horse and camping out at nights. His feet are frozen, but it is believed not seriously, and he will not lose his limbs. The only thing that passed his lips was tobacco and snow. The thermometer the whole time was below zero.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

SYRACUSE, Jan. 4.—A blinding storm has been raging in this vicinity all day and still continues. No trains have arrived to-day. A train made up in this city for Albany left at 12:20. When near Calistoga the forward engine broke loose and struck the second engine of another train, wrecking several cars by throwing them down an embankment. The express car caught fire, a portion of the mail being destroyed.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 4.—A passenger train on the Perkiomen road was run into by a freight train this morning at Zionsville station; several passengers were injured, but not fatally.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Resumption continues to work smoothly. The amount of gold paid out at the sub-Treasury for legal tender notes to-day was $80,000; amount of gold taken in exchange for legal tender notes; a net gain to the Treasury of $120,000.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 4.—The yellow fever commission are taking evidence and getting information daily developing numerous points and theories.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—A fire was discovered this afternoon in the block on the corner of Dearbon and Adams streets, occupied as a post office, headquarters of the military division of Missouri, lawyers, &c. Several narrow escapes were made. The building originally cost over three hundred thousand dollars.

POTTSVILLE Pa., Jan. 4.—Seven hundred men and boys in Brookside colliery have struck for back pay.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The *Poet's* special from Cohoes, N. Y., says the Harmony cotton mills, employing 3,500 hands, producing three hundred thousand yards of cotton goods a day, have reduced working time to three days a week in order to reduce the production and stiffen prices.

It is rumored that James Keene is about establishing here an association offering homes in New Mexico Territory along the line of the projected railway, attracting some attention among working men here. Twenty acre farms with cattle and farming implements are sold for $200.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 3.—Best & Belcher levies an assessment of one dollar; Leopard and Lady Brian fifty cents each.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—The Silver Hill Mining Company have levied an assessment of fifty cents per share, and the Ku-klux Mining Company an assessment of $10 per share.

Hadley, alias Saville, who attempted a swindle on Lucky Baldwin in a stock transaction, by offering as collateral a forged note or letter credited on Union Bank, London, has been indicted by the grand jury.

The grand jury to-day report some severe charges against city and county officials. Grave charges of irregularities in the Fire Department have been sustained by evidence taken; but on promise of amendment no indictment against responsible parties. They acquit the directors of the French Savings bank of any wrong except in placing too much confidence in the late President Mahe.

An Insane Woman in the Cars.

On Friday afternoon last, passenger train No. 5 left Lynchburg for Bristol, under charge of Conductor Fairfax. After a run of twenty-five miles, a woman, with a little girl about seven years of age and an infant of seven months, showed signs of mental aberration. She soon deserted both the children, and became a raving maniac. She took a passenger for her husband, who, it seems, had recently mistreated her, and was, it is supposed, the cause of her derangement. Catching hold of the gentleman's beard, she shook her fist in his face and pulled his hair and abused him generally for having deserted her for another woman. The man appealed to Capt. Fairfax, who endeavored to persuade her to desist. The woman then turned upon him, and beat him and stamped on his hat, and hugged and kissed him in turn. The first victim realized the situation and sloped into another car and took a seat with a fat man, and was careful to get on the inside seat. Everything was done that could be to pacify the woman, but she continued to rave in the wildest manner. Mrs. Virginia Watson, a lady of this place, was on the cars, and being a kind-hearted women, took charge of the baby and put it to sleep. The raving mother was even infuriated at that, and grasping Mrs Watson, tore her bonnet off and would doubtless have seriously injurck her had not the gentlemen interfered. The woman became somewhat quiet before reaching Wytheville, her point of destination, and was put off there into the hands of citizens at the depot.—*Abingdon, Va., Standard.*

English Girls.

A brisk controversy is going on in England over the question of making girls' lives happier and more useful. The "independence of girls" is what the London papers call it, when they give space to long communications on the subject. Finally, the *Spectator* launches out with the following bold defiance English prejudice and tradition:

Parents are too much influenced by the example of the highest class—which is driven by the conspicuousness of its women to a sort of conventual discipline—and forget too much that strong intellectual interests and plenty of work are in themselves the best protections against dissipation. We are not fighting for an enfranchisement which we fully recognize to be undesirable for young women under 25, or for any material alteration in the manners of our society, but only for the modicum of liberty to move about and see friends, and choose occupations, which is conceded without a word said, to every respectable governess in the country. There is no sound reason whatever why a girl living in an English city should not move about her business like a man. If a woman must earn money, the useful restrictions continue and the nonsensical restrictions drop off, and why should they not drop off when the money is not so important? They will drop off whether the parents like it or not, if education is to go on at its present pace; and the best course for them is to accept the change kindly, modify it, and surround the new situation with new mental guarantees. Otherwise they will have ten years of worry to go through, ending in a more decided emancipation than they will like, or we either. Good girls in Boston are as good as they will be found anywhere, but if they want to go cross "the Common" without escort, they cross it; and it will come to that here, even if we have to revolutionize our police system to secure it.

FINE New Nuts at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street. *

THE PACIFIC TELEGRAPH SYSTEM.

Its Origin, Development and Perfection.

The telegraph on the Pacific dates back to 1853, when Mr. Gamble ran the first wire from San Francisco towards San Jose, then a mere hamlet. Under his superintendence, mainly, from this little beginning the wires have been extended, until now they reach every city and hamlet from the far-off Fraser River in British Columbia to and across the torrid plains of Arizona. Every mountain range has been crossed and recrossed, and every river on the coast has been spanned by the highway for the lightnings. It would fill a volume to narrate the toil and labor the construction of these lines have cost. Many of them were built in advance of roads or settlements, where the constructors had to engineer their own way across trackless deserts and hew their paths through the densest forests and jungles, and ferry themselves across rivers as best they could. Mountains have been crossed that pierce the clouds, and on whose summits rest eternal snows. Neither cold nor heat, nor apparently inaccessible cliffs and impassable swamps, were allowed to turn back those who carried forward the work of introducing the "evidence of civilization"—as Horace Greely once termed the telegraph—to the breadth of our Pacific possessions.

P. H. Lovell, F. A. Bee and Fred. McCrellish are entitled to the credit of having constructed the first line across the Sierra Nevadas in 1858, between Placerville and Genoa, Nevada. This line was afterwards extended to Fort Churchill. In 1860 the great feat of putting the Atlantic and Pacific Coast in telegraphic communication was accomplished. The section west of Salt Lake City was built by the California State Telegraph Company, of which H.W. Carpenter was President, J. Mora Moss, Vice-President, and G. S. Ladd, now President of the Electrical Construction Company, was Secretary. James Gamble was Superintendent, and was assisted in the working department by the late James Street and I. M. Hubbard. In 1859 Los Angeles was put in telegraphic communication with the world by a line run from San Jose along the Butterfield overland stage road, by F. L. Vandenberg, present Superintendent of railroad telegraph interests, and one of the oldest telegraph men in the country. In 1863 J. E. Strong projected a line to Portland, Oregon, from Yreka, but in the subsequent year sold it in its partially constructed condition to the California State Company. In 1864 and '65 this line was completed, and the work continued northward through an almost unbroken forest to New Westminster, British Columbia, aud by cable from the mainland to Vancouver's Island. This work was assigned to R. R. Haines. In 1868 the same gentleman ran a wire from Portland, Oregon, to the Dalles, on the Columbia River. In 1870 San Diego was put in communication with Los Angeles, and in the fall of the same year a wire was extended from San Diego northward through San Buenaventura to Santa Barbara. In 1873 the Government completed six hundred miles of telegraph line in Arizona, connecting with the existing line at San Diego. This work was done under the superintendence of Mr. Haines. The same party in 1874 ran the coast line between Salinas City and Santa Barbara, passing through the interesting county and city of San Luis Obispo. We have not the data for much of the work performed in running the wires through Nevada by Frank Bell. The aggregate is large, and the service in buffeting the wild storms of the Sierras has often been so severe as to tax to the utmost his indomitable energy.—*Los Ange les Republican.*

A Queer Custom.

(From the Baltimore Bulletin.)

The annual jumping procession of Luxemburg is one of the queerest religious displays which a superstitious tradition ever gave rise to. Whatever may be its origin, certain it is that once a year, on Whit Tuesday, the people in the vicinity of the old town of Echternacht gather together by thousands, and, forming into a regular procession, gravely and deliberately endeavor to dance, jump, and hop from the starting point to the church, a full three hours' journey. It is thought that by jumping, hopping and dancing over this long distance on the day mentioned, the sins of the preceding year are blotted and stamped out and salvation made sure. The burdened sinners form in line, four abreast, and hand in haud, and headed by bands of music, to which their movements keep time, they proceed with the utmost solemnity to hop skip and jump into salvation.

To unprejudiced spectators the spectacle is said to be infinitely amusing and absurd. Imagine thousands of men, women and children, with the utmost gravity of countenance and frantic energy, jumping along, beating down Satan under their feet, as it were, at every step, and lessening their load of sin at every jump. The doctrine shows marks of logical evolution in many of the rules which guide these religious acrobats. For instance, it is laid down that a jumper may not only jump himself into a state of purity and safety, but by jumps of supererogation may rescue the soul of some less agile and long-winded sinner. It is also held that every jump counts in the contest with the Evil One, which is an extremely consolatory and encouragaging doctrine for these unfortunate sinners whose legs are not equal to their pious aspirations. At the same time, only those who succeed in accomplishing the entire journey have wiped out all their sins, and out of many thousands, few are so happy as to wipe off old scores. No stopping in the jumping from beginning to end of the journey is allowed. They must jump right on till they get to the church, and if they get out of the ranks they cannot resume their pious exercises on their own account, but for the sake of a friend or enemy they may resume their jumping; no sinner, however, can expect to have his transgressions jumped away for nothing, and accordingly, when his legs give out he finds plenty of friends ready to jump for him at so much an hour. This last development of the original doctrine might seem to encourage carnal and worldly jumpers, who cruelly speculate on the physical weaknesses of their fellow sinners, but it is absolutely necessary, in order to give feeble transgressors an equal chance with those of a stronger frames. The way of the transgressor is unmistakably hard in Luxumburg on Whit Tuesday, but it would seem comparatively easy for the rest of the year. And even on that day he may hire a substitute to do his jumping, if he be so disposed, so that on the whole, the Luxemburg sinner may be considered as very fairly off, and rather to be envied than otherwise.

Thirty Thousand Pounds of Christmas Meats

At Queen's Market, Government Street, corner of Johnson.

The largest and finest assortment of Meats ever exhibited on the Pacific Coast. This assertion is made with the knowledge that it will be the universal opinion upon inspection.

MESSRS. GOODACRE & DOOLEY take much pleasure in informing their numerous Customers and the Public generally, that they will display their Large and Superior Stock of Christmas Meats tomorrow (Monday), respectfully soliciting the Orders of all who intend supplying their Tables with the best the market affords. *

LIVERPOOL MARKET, YATES STREET.—SHEPPARD, GOODACRE & Co.—One hundred and thirty thousand pounds show of Xmas meats has been pronounced by ALL COMPETENT judges to-day as the

CHOICEST, RICHEST AND BEST FED MEAT

on exhibition in this city.

The whethers from Mr. S. Norris' farm have been pronounced the best ever exhibited in any Victoria market; the roasting pigs from R. Wilkinson's Dairy Farm the most succulent; and the beef from Messrs. Greaves & Beak's farm the juiciest.

All are invited to call and give an order who really want something on their Xmas dinner table which will satisfy the Old Country ideas of a merry Xmas dinner, intimately associated as they are with the quality of viands set forth to grace the Xmas table.

TURKEYS, GEESE, RABBITS, ETC.,

All guaranteed to give satisfaction, and the

LORNE SAUSAGES

to garnish the turkeys withal are a choice speciality.

N. B.—All who favor the Liverpool Market with an order may rely upon having their own choice delivered to them.

Victoria, Dec. 23rd, 1878. *

REALLY MAGNIFICENT.—The best Stock of Furniture ever imported into the Province is now offered for sale at unprecedently low figures at the Furniture Warerooms, St. George building. It comprises prize Bedroom Sets, Parlor Suits upholstered in hair cloth, woolen, rep., satin, &c., &c. Turkish and Easy Chairs; inlaid Centre Tables, a specialty; East Lake Pillar Extension Tables; Card and Marble Top Tables, something new; Marble Top Sideboards; Cheffioniers, Secretaries and Ladies' Walnut Writing Desks; Mirrors; very superior Top and Clipper Spring Mattresses; single, ¾ and full size Walnut Bedsteads; Mission Blankets, which were awarded the first gold premium at the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition; Walnut Chairs and Rockers, bar-room wood seat chairs, children's high and low seat seat chairs. All must be seen to be appreciated. Be in time to witness the slaughter.

* R. HAGGERTY.

HOWARD'S NOVELTY SHOW.—All who want a good laugh should go and see the Royal Punch and Judy Family, direct from London, and Bismarck, the Educated Pig. Behold the monster Boa Constructor; the great Egyptian Mystery; the monster living Aligator; the moving Panorama; a Trip Round the World, &c., &c.; the Parlor Menagerie, all on exhibition to-night and during Christmas week on Government street, next to the Hook and Ladder Engine House. Admission 25 cents. DON'T FAIL TO PAY THE SHOW A VISIT. *

JOTTINGS.—The year of 1879 promises to be an eventful one in the history of this Province. Important public works are to be carried out, and other enterprises are fostered for future development. This is positive, because our newly elected statesmen have pledged themselves, and that is sufficient, (you know). What more appropriate place to jot them down as they occur than in one of the many kinds of diaries to be found at the head of Bastion street.

* T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

REMOVAL. — Mr. Jungerman, watch maker and jeweller, will remove to the new brick building on the corner of Government and Bastion streets on or about the 10th inst. Mr. Jungerman has added largely to his stock which now presents increased inducements for the patronage of his customers and the general public. *

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One English mahogany bagatelle table, rubber cushions, marble bed, cues, rack, balls, and scorer complete. Original cost, $250; Metcalfe, Manchester, maker. Apply at the I.X.L. furniture-ware rooms, St. George building, Government street.

* R. HAGGERTY.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

AS YOU GO along Government street compare the different show windows and see if LANGE does not surpass them all in price and style *

PURGATION.—Sheet music £0.6s.8d. per lb. Its presence like a blighted spectre and a shadow for a "quid pro quo."

* 1m. T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

THE finest selection of Christmas Fruits now on view at FELL & Co.'s, on Fort street. *

NOTICE.

I beg to notify the customers of F. Reynolds that having again been placed in charge I shall be glad to see them all at the old stands, the London and Leadenhall Markets, where they can be supplied with the finest meats in the Province.

N. B.—All parties having any claims against F. Reynolds will be kind enough to send them in to me at once. Parties indebted to the firm would oblige by settling as early as convenient.

* JOB BATCHELOR.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanit plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices *

JUST RECEIVED---NOVELTIES IN DRESS FABRICS, LACE AND LINEN SETS, CUFFS, COLLARS, SILK SCARFS, FLOWERS, FURS, UMBRELLAS, FANCY WOOL WORK, FRINGES AND MARIBOUT TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS IN GREAT VARIETY, BOYS' SUITS, MILLINERY IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES, AND A VERY CHOICE LINE IN LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, AT VERY ATTRACTIVE PRICES.---SHEARS & PARTRIDGE, LONDON HOUSE. *

ONCE MORE IN THE FIELD.—A grand display of furniture will take place at R. Haggerty's sales rooms, St. Nicholas Building, on Monday morning, when the best assortment of goods ever imported into the Province will be on view. The attention of the ladies of Victoria is especially requested to the prize bed room sets, and to a lot of Mission blankets from the celebrated Mission factory at San Francisco which were awarded a prize at the Philadelphia Centennia Exhibition. *

LANGE does not blow about having the largest stock of Jewelry in the City. He leaves that for others to judge; but one thing he does say is that he has nothing but the latest styles and of the best quality, for which he asks 30 per cent. less than others. *

DURING the holiday season express and mails for Cariboo and way places will close on Saturday evenings, to connect with canoes when the up river steamer is hauled off; and on and after January 7th, on Monday evening. *

London Bazaar.

Electro Plated Ware,
Cutlery,
Lamps and Lanterns,
Selling at greatly Reduced Prices.
Cheap Mirrors and Pictures. *

RAFFLE FOR A HOMESTEAD.—Attention is called to the advertisement of a raffle for a home. A handsome building lot, 66x300 feet, situated on Pandora avenue worth $1,250, to be had for $5. Tickets may be obtained at the principal places of business. *

JUST RECEIVED by W. J. Jeffree, a job lot of boy's and Youth's Pilot Jackets will be sold very cheap. *

POOL SHOOTING TO-NIGHT AT THE STAR SHOOTING GALLERY, THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET, FROM 7 O'CLOCK. *

CUSTOM House Blanks for sale in any quantity at this office.

FOR BON BONS in every variety go to FELL'S, Fort street. *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

FINE new Figs, Grapes and Pop Corn at Fell's by last steamer. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.

A SMALL FARM ON THE MOUNT TOLMIE cross-road, only one and a-half miles from Government street, containing 16 acres of land, partly under orchard and all cultivated. There is a good dwelling house and all necessary outbuildings.

The above property is now in possession of Mr. M. Finnerty and will be sold cheap to immediate purchasers. For particulars apply to

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
ja9 1m Land Agent, Langley St.

NOTICE

TO TICKET-HOLDERS FOR THE

"COOMASSIE TUSSLE."

THE FUN WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE

ADELPHI SALOON,

ON SATURDAY EVENING NEXT, THE 11TH inst.

All who have not secured Tickets already had better do so at once and be on hand to witness the liberality of "Coomassie's" new owner.

VICTORIA, Jan. 4th, 1879. ja5

FRENCH BENEVOLENT AND MUTUAL SOCIETY.

A PREPARATORY MEETING OF THE ABOVE Society will be held at the Driard House on Sunday the 12th day of January, 1879, at 2 o'clock P.M.

The object of the meeting is to hear the reports of the Treasurer and Secretary, and also to introduce any amendments which may be brought forward in the interest of the Society.

The general meeting for the election of the Committee will be held on Sunday the 19th day of January at the same place, from 2 to 4 o'clock P. M.

P. BOCION,
ja5 Secretary.

I. O. G. T.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LODGE No. 1, I. O. G. T meets every Friday Evening at 8 precisely at Good Templars' Hall, Yates street.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned have received instructions to sell at KREIMLER'S FARM, Victoria Arm, for distraint for rent,

On Friday Next, Jan. 10th,

AT 12.30 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The following articles, viz.:—

Thirty tons of Hay, more or less, one and a-half tons of Oats, a lot of Straw, one yearling Heifer, one Bull, three Ploughs, two Harrows and a Horse Rake, two Sets of Double Harness, Grindstone, Hay-Forks, Scythes, &c., &c.

One month will be allowed for the removal of hay.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
ja8 Auctioneers.

STOCKS AND MINES.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)
Location of Works - - - Wilkinson Lode.

NOTICE.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLLOWing described Stock on account of Assessment No. 2, levied Nov. 11th, 1878, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
D. Gutmann	3	400	4
do	305	1000	10
do	306	500	5
do	307	250	2 50
do	308	250	2 50
do	309	200	2
do	310	200	2
do	311	200	2
do	312	100	1
do	313	100	1
do	314	100	1
do	315	175	1 75
D. W. Higgins	7	250	2 50
W. H. Dorman	17	170	1 70
do	331	500	5
do	332	100	1
do	333	100	1
Rogers & Wilson	86	100	1
W. J. Quick	532	55	0 55
do	534	55	0 55
S. J. Pitts	108	1000	10
W. W. Dodd	428	500	5
do	429	500	5
do	430	250	2 50
do	431	250	2 50
do	432	250	2 50
do	433	250	2 50
do	434	100	1
do	435	100	1
do	436	100	1
do	437	100	1
do	438	100	1
John Austin	145	500	5
do	322	50	0 50
do	323	50	0 50
do	224	50	0 50
do	325	50	0 50
do	326	50	0 50
do	327	100	1
do	365	100	1
do	366	100	1
do	367	200	2
William Pattullo	151	1000	10
do	153	500	5
do	154	500	5
do	155	200	2
do	156	200	2
do	157	100	1
do	158	100	1
do	159	125	1 25
G. A. Walkem	175	1000	10
do	176	1000	10
do	177	500	5
do	178	500	5
do	179	200	2
do	180	200	2
do	181	100	1
do	182	100	1
do	183	100	1
do	184	100	1
Robert Lipsett	293	1000	10
do	294	500	5
do	295	250	2 50
do	296	200	2
do	297	200	2
do	298	100	1
do	299	100	1
do	300	100	1
do	301	50	0 50
Peter Brown	453	500	5
do	454	500	5
Andrew Kelly	520	1000	10
do	521	500	5
Chas. N. Cameron	538	5	0 05
J. Stewart	6	250	2 50
C. T. Dupont	15	200	2
Peter Boingeault	48	500	5
do	49	250	2 50
do	50	250	2 50
do	51	40	0 40
Richard Allen	540	225	2 25
do	542	55	0 55
Theo. Inderstroth	101	1250	12 50
John Quagliotti	118	500	5
do	119	250	2
do	120	200	2
do	121	200	2
do	122	100	1
H. E. Croasdaile	123	500	5
Fletcher and McNaughton	148	500	5
do	149	400	4
do	150	140	1 40
John Stevenson	540	500	5
do	548	500	5
R. B. Harper	195	500	5
do	276	625	0 25
Joshua Davies	269	200	2
do	369	100	1
Joe. Heywood	483	500	5
do	484	750	7 50
Charles Hine	26	100	1
do	27	100	1
do	28	100	1
do	29	50	0 50
W. P. Sayward	187	500	5
do	188	250	2 50
William Pollard	199	100	1
W. Marlharry	201	160	1 60
F. J. Barnard	210	500	5
E. B. Marvin	556	375	3 75
Roads Seabrook	219	400	4
Adam Scott	220	300	3
Geo. Hargreaves	224	500	5
John Vaughan	247	200	2
do	248	100	2
do	321	25	0 25
Wm. Hammond	252	500	5
M. M. Haggerty	533	150	1 50
M. O'Connor	257	200	2
do	258	200	2
do	259	100	1
do	260	100	1
do	261	100	1
do	262	100	1
do	419	200	2
do	424	12	0 12
F. Neufelder	426	500	5
do	427	100	1
E. G. Prior	265	500	5
Alex. Lindsay	318	125	1 25
do	319	100	1
do	320	100	1
C. N. McDonald	328	250	2 50
do	550	45	0 45
do	568	550	5 50
F. S. Barnard	336	100	1
Walter Shears	329	100	1
do	439	50	0 50
do	440	100	1
do	441	100	1
A. R. Johnston	362	175	1 75
W. C. Pinder	364	75	0 75
J. H. Innes	370	100	1
G. A. Sargison	402	250	2 50
Hy. Featherstone	470	100	1
Orlando Warner	330	50	0 50
James Blair	473	50	0 50
do	474	50	0 50
do	475	50	0 50
Lee Wy	543	25	0 25
Thomas Duxbury	591	10	0 10
Charles Jordan	616	100	1
do	617	100	1
J. A. Mara	403	250	2 50
W. H. G. Thompson } not issued		1650	16 50
S. Grey } not issued		110	1 10
Henry Anderson	575	325	3 25
do	576	1600	16

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C., on the 23rd day of January, 1879, at the hour of 12 noon of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
BARKERVILLE, B. C. ja4dw1m

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

THE SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF THE above company will be held at their office, Stanley, B. C., at 2 o'clock p. m. of Monday the 10th day February, 1879.

A full attendance is requested.

By order of the Directors.
W. W. DODD, Secretary.
Stanley, B. C., 1st. Jan., 1879. ja3dw

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Works - - - Hixon Creek, B.C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said company held on the 14th day of December, 1878, the 4th assessment of one-third of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 16th day of December, 1878, to the Secretary at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 16th day of January, 1879, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 10th day of February, 1879, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B.C., 14th Dec., 1878. de25dw

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against dealing in the following Certificates issued by the Company, as they have been cancelled, the shares having been forfeited and sold for delinquent Assessments:

Victorine Laurent, Nos 148 and 149, 50 shares each; A. J. Mouatt, No 270, 50 shares, No 271, 50 shares, No 272, 25 shares, No 304, 38 shares, No 436, 34 shares, No 403, 37 shares; D. Pratt, No 367, 25 shares; R. Allan, No 301, 150 shares; E. C. Neufelder, No 404, 50 shares; John Collins, No 370, 25 shares; T. A. McMicking, No 172, 100 shares; W. W. Housenan, Nos 478 to 482, 50 shares each; Joseph Hamilton, No 426, 50 shs; Gavin Hamilton, No 289 and 290, 50 shares each; R.B. McMicking, No 297, 25 shares, Nos 298 and 299, 50 shs each; No 300, 100 shares; G. Byrnes, No 37, 500 shs; No 388, 25 shares; A. Lindsay, Nos 156 and 157, 50 shares each; E. Nelson, No 177, 250 shares; F. J. Barnard, Nos 329, 335, 338, 25 shares each, Nos 422, 432, 100 shares each; John Henderson, Nos 344 and 345, 50 shares each; C. R. Brodie, No 462, 25 shares; W. McN Jones, Nos 10 and 11, 100 shares each, Nos 12 to 36 20 shares each, Nos 308 and 386, 50 shares each; Rogers & Wilson, Nos 469 and 470, 25 shares each; Jonathan Nutt, No 89, 500 shares; Sing Yee, No 249, 20 shares; Henry Schorling, Nos 254 to 256, 100 shares each, Nos 257, 258, 260, 50 shares each; J. Ryder, Nos 167 to 169, 50 shares each; C. M. Beak, No 369, 50 shares; W. A. Johnston, Nos. 207 to 216, 50 shares each; Nos 217 to 226, 25 shares each, No 427, 428 50 shares each; G. A. Sargison, No 429, 430, 100 shares each, No 501, 25 shares; David Brown, Nos 493 and 495, 50 shares each; Henry Rudolph, No 502, 50 shares; H. E. Croasdaile, Nos 522 to 524, 50 shares each.

By Order, CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
BARKERVILLE, B. C., Dec. 21st, 1878. jes

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE

BRITISH COLONIST

A DAILY AND WEEKLY PUBLICATION.

ESTABLISHED IN 1858.

This Journal has the largest and most extended circulation of any newspaper in the Province. It is the only publication in British Columbia that receives

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Its value as a news and advertising medium is therefore very great. Within the past few weeks an entirely

NEW DRESS

has been provided, and the paper having been improved in other respects is the most reliable medium of intelligence on the Northern Coast.

THE

DAILY COLONIST

Is delivered by carriers at subscribers' doors at 25 CENTS PER WEEK.

THE

WEEKLY COLONIST

Is sent to any part of the Province, Canada, the United States or Great Britain for

FOUR DOLLARS A YEAR,

If paid in advance. Orders may be sent by mail.

THE

JOBBING DEPARTMENT

Has been entirely renovated and now contains three Steam Presses and a complete line of

NEW TYPE

For performing every description of

COMMERCIAL PRINTING

AT VERY LOW RATES.

CARDS,	BOOKS
BILLHEADS,	STOCK
CIRCULARS,	CERTIFICATES
HAND BILLS,	BLANK BOOKS,
POSTERS,	SHIPPING RECEIPTS
PAMPHLETS,	CUSTOMS BLANKS

ETC., ETC., ETC.,

Executed with neatness and dispatch.

MISCELLANEOUS.

APOLLINARIS NATURAL MINERAL WATER.

REGISTERED TRADE MARK.

The Queen of Table Waters.—"Especially suited by its absolute purity and mild alkalinity to relieve indigestion."—*British Medical Journal.*

"Supplied by order of the Viceroy for use of the Prince of Wales in India."—*Daily News.*

"The favoured drink of the favoured classes. The fashion in the Clubs, and universally recommended as a pure, refreshing drinking water by the Medical Profession. It neutralises the effects of dram drinking."—*London Medical Record.*

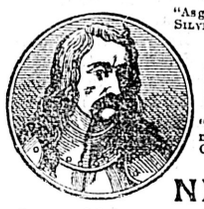
"Leaving science to her professors, our simple verdict is, that there is a charm about this water which the coarser springs of Nassau (Seltzer) known in commerce or drunk at the ... surpasses the manufactured Aerated Waters."—London *Medical Times.*

... WATER. ... has, do not approach, nor the makers of aerated waters ever dream of."—London *Morning Advertiser.*

To be had of all Wine Merchants, Grocers, or Wholesale and for Export from the

APOLLINARIS COMPANY LIMITED,
19, REGENT STREET, LONDON, ENGLAND.

THE GREAT EUROPEAN NOVELTY



"As great an advance over other aperient waters as they were over Epsom salts."—Dr. SILVER, Physician and Prof. of Clinical Medicine, Charing Cross Hospital, London. "Mild, certain, pleasant in flavour," according to Prof. Aitken, F.R.S., Royal Victoria Hos., Prof. Brunton, F.R.S., St. Bartholomew's Hos., London, and Prof. Roberts, Univ. Coll. Hos., London (authors of the leading British textbooks of medicine).

HUNYADI JÁNOS.

"Most palatable, producing neither distress nor uneasiness."—Prof. MACNAMARA, Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, Editor 7th Edition Neligan's Medicines.

NEW APERIENT

Specially recommended for its richness in aperient salts, usefulness in bilious attacks, prevention of gout, rheumatism, piles, &c., by *Lancet, Brit. Med. Journal*, and the whole of Medical Press.

Recommended for women and children by Baron ... Dr. J. Marion Sims, Prof. A. Martin, &c., &c.

... and Mineral Water Dealers; Wholesale for Export from ... WATER. ... COMPANY LIMITED, 19, REGENT STREET, LONDON, ENGLAND, whose Label is on every genuine bottle.

FRED'K DE BARRY & CO., 41 AND 43 WARREN STREET, NEW YORK.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

ARRIVAL AND CLOSING OF MAILS AT VICTORIA.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1878.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, United Kingdom Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. *via* Port Townsend	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4:30 P. M.	Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 P. M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Once a month at irregular date	On the 20th of Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., and 10th Dec.
China and Japan	do do	On 20th day of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	do do	On the 10th & 30th days of each month.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesdays and Saturdays at 3 P. M.	Mondays and Thursdays at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P. M.	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo, Wellington and offices on East Coast.	Thursdays and every alternate Saturday at 5 P. M.	Mondays and every alternate Thursday at 6 P. M.
Comox and East Coast offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P. M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P. M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.	Daily at 11.30 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday at 1 P. M.	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich	Wednesday at 9 A. M.	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke	Monday at 3 P. M.	Tuesday at 9 A. M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, United Kingdom, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Granville, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Quesnelle, Soda Creek, Spence's Bridge, Sumas and Yale, can be obtained at this office.

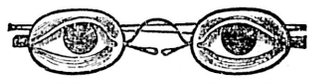
OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, POST OFFICE INSPECTOR.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1878. au14

R. C. CRIDGE, LAND SURVEYOR.

OFFICE: Bastion street, Victoria, next to Drake & Jackson's.

LAND SURVEYING, LAYING OUT WORK, &c executed with dispatch on reasonable terms. Victoria, P. O. Box 252 au4 1m*



G. W. A. LANGE
WATCHMAKER,
JEWELLER AND OPTICAN
GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

THE FINEST ASSORTMENT OF SPECTACLES Eye, Marine, Opera and Magnifying Glasses constantly on hand. mh15 2p3m

COLUMBIA MILLS FLOUR.
CHINA NUT OIL,
EX "TOKATEA."
FOR SALE BY
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE
WHARF ST., 18th Oct., 1878. oc19

REMOVAL.
MR. JOHN TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT
HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO
GOVERNMENT STREET, BELOW FORT,
Opposite the Hook and Ladder House.

Tableau Saloon
GOVERNMENT STREET,
NORTON & ACKERMAN - - - PROPRIETORS

THE BEST OF WINES AND LIQUORS CONstantly on hand.
☞ The finest brands of Cigars and Tobacco at the Cigar Stand adjoining the Saloon. no27

MECHANICS LITERARY INSTITUTE

PROGRAMME OF LECTURES

TO BE DELIVERED AT PHILHARMONIC HALL Fort street, in connection with the Mechanics Literary Institute:—

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8, 1879.
THE REV. J. REID. - - - - - English Lakes
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 22d.
M. W. T. DRAKE, ESQ. - - - - Ancient Egypt
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 5th.
THE REV P. JENNS.—"The Microphone," its Physicial Action and Use. Experimentally illustrated.
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 19th.
MR. JUSTICE GRAY.—Due notice of subject will be given
WEDNESDAY, March 5th.
THE VEN. ARCHDEACON WRIGHT.—Abyssinia and the Abyssinians
WEDNESDAY, March 19th.—Not yet settled.

Each lecture will commence at 8 p. m. Admission 25 cents; members free. oc24

BUY NO TRUSS

UNTIL YOU SEE WHAT has been accomplished by DR PIERCE'S late invention.
☞ Send for New Illustrated Book.☜
MAGNETIC ELASTIC TRUSS COMPANY, Removed to No. 726 Market street, San Francisco. se22dw3m

NOTICE.

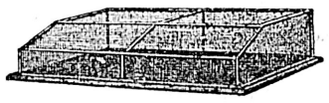
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other payments to be made to me.
oc9 ED. BOTTENBERG.

S. HARTMAN,
LADIES'
Hair Dresser and Wigmaker

COMBINGS MADE UP IN ANY STYLE AND all kinds of
ARTIFICIAL HAIR WORK DONE AT THE LOWEST RATES.
Particular attention paid to Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting, at the Hair Dressing Saloon, Yates St, a few doors below Government St. no16

250 CHANCES AT $5 EACH.
RAFFLE
— FOR A —
VALUABLE BUILDING LOT,
60 X 300 FEET,
ON PANDORA AVENUE, BETWEEN VANCOUVER AND COOK STREETS,
VALUED AT $1,250.
Due notice of throwing will be given.
TICKETS may be had at the principal places of business in the city. oc19

S. BERNSTEIN,
Manufacturer of Every Description of
SILVER AND WALNUT
SHOW CASES,



250 MARKET STREET, near FRONT
SAN FRANCISCO.
Show Cases of every description on hand and made to order at shortest notice and lowest rates. oc6dw8m

DRESSMAKING.
MRS. F. LUXFORD
WILL RESUME BUSINESS, OCTOBER 15TH, ON PANDORA ST., FIRST HOUSE ABOVE THE SYNAGOGUE.
Thanking her numerous friends for their patronage in the past and soliciting a continuance of the same, Mrs. L. promises the best of work in all the LATEST PARISIAN, LONDON AND NEW YORK STYLES.
oct1 2p

The Oldest Established Carriage Shop in Victoria.
CHAS. BALL,
CARRIAGE MAKER
AND BLACKSMITH,

DESIRES TO INFORM ALL WHO INTEND purchasing any article in his line that he has the largest and best Stock of CARRIAGES, WAGONS, etc., in the Province, which he will sell at the lowest remunerative rates.

— ALSO ON HAND —
A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF WAGON AND CARRIAGE MATERIALS.

A VALUABLE IMPROVEMENT.

The advertiser's long experience in his business has led him to the conclusion that wheels which shrink and swell with every change of the weather are a source of great annoyance and expense to their owners, he has therefore

FITTED UP APPLIANCES FOR BOILING THEM IN LINSEED OIL

By which means this defect is entirely overcome. This enables him to furnish wheels which will wear out the tires without resetting.

Orders by mail promptly and faithfully filled.

NORTH SIDE JOHNSON ST., BELOW GOVERNMENT ST. ja4dw

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BUTCHERS,
SOUTHEAST CORNER OF GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STREETS,
PURVEYORS BY APPOINTMENT TO
H. M. ROYAL NAVY AND THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL AND COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN,

THE LARGEST AND CHOICEST ASSORTMENT OF
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES, AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.
jy12

THE VICTORIA
PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION

THE OBJECT OF THIS ASSOCIATION IS TO secure pecuniary aid to the Families of Deceased Members, so that a small subscription shall realize an important benefit.

DIRECTORS:
RT. REV. BISHOP CRIDGE,
REV. P. JENNS,
J. H. TURNER,
I. W. POWELL, M.D.,
DR. TOLMIE.

OFFICERS:
DR. W. F. TOLMIE—President,
REV. P. JENNS—Vice-President,
BANKERS—Bank British Columbia,
G. R. FARDON—Secretary.

REGULATIONS:

Any person over 18 years of age and under 60, if in good health, may become a member on paying as follows:—From 18 years to 30, $3 per annum; from 30 years to 35, $4 per annum; from 35 years to 40, $5 per annum; from 40 years to 45, $7 per annum; from 45 years to 50, $10; from 50 years to 60, $15 per annum.

The annual payments to continue for five years when they will cease; but in addition to the above yearly payment ONE DOLLAR will be required from every member of the Society on the death of any member, and this subscription shall be continued during life.

BENEFIT:

The amount of Benefit will be governed by the number of members. Thus, if there are one thousand members, the nominee of a deceased member will receive one thousand dollars.

AVERAGE NUMBER OF DEATHS:

The number of deaths during nine years have averaged five per annum to the thousand members in a similar society at Petaluma, Cal., and according to the published reports of the Registrar in Victoria, the average has not exceeded that number.

PROFITS:

From the above average of deaths the following calculation is suggested:—

Subscription beginning at 40 years of age at $5 for 5 years	$25 00
Probable number of deaths in 5 years, 25, $1	25 00
	$50 00

It seems only reasonable to suppose that within five years the Association will number at least one thousand members; but even a smaller number, it will be seen, will secure an important advantage in case of death.

For further information apply by letter to
G. R. FARDON,
Secretary of the Victoria
de20 Provident Association, Victoria.

REMOVAL.
W. C. BERKELEY,
GENERAL AGENT, ETC.,
HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO LANGLEY street, 3 doors from Yates. no5

HALL'S HEPATIC KING —OR— LIVER REMEDY!
A CONCENTRATED TONIC AND ANTI-BILIOUS EXTRACT,
PREPARED FROM
Mandrake, Culver's Root, Dandelion, Calisaya, Butternut, Calamus, etc.

EXPRESSLY FOR AFFECTIONS OF THE Liver, and Irregularities of the Stomach, Bowels, and Kidneys.

It restores the Secretions, strengthens the DIGESTIVE ORGANS, cures DYSPEPSIA, SOUR STOMACH, SICK AND NERVOUS HEADACHE, PILES, BILIOUSNESS, FLATULENCY, COLIC, FEVER AND AGUE, TORPID LIVER, JAUNDICE, CONSTIPATION, and BILIOUS FEVER.

It acts directly upon the LIVER AND KIDNEYS, operates thoroughly without nausea, and leaves the Stomach and Bowels in a healthy condition.

Guaranteed free from Mercury, Aloes and all hurtful matter.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

HALL'S PULMONARY BALSAM
PRICE 50 CTS

AN IMMEDIATE AND PERMANENT CURE FOR COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, CROUP, INFLUENZA, CATARRH, LOSS OF VOICE, INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION AND ALL DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS. ASK FOR THE CALIFORNIA PULMONARY BALSAM, AND TAKE NO OTHER.

☞ SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
CATES & CO., PROPRIETORS,
de31 1s3m 417 SANSOME ST., S. F.

C. MORTON,
REAL ESTATE AND HOUSE AGENT
LANGLEY STREET, OPPOSITE ANGEL HOTEL.

RENTS collected, Loans negotiated, and a General Agency Business transacted. jy10dw2p

FREDERICK REYNOLDS,
FAMILY
BUTCHER
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
MEATS AND VEGETABLES
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND AND Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand. Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.
☞ Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW. ☜
mh10 LONDON MARKET.

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO.
BANKERS
GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN GOLD, SILVER AND U. S. Currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits.

GOLD DUST AND U. S. CURRENCY
PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.

SIGHT DRAFTS AND TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS ON SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK AND CANADA.

EXCHANGE ON LONDON
Available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland.

LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on the Principal Cities of the United States, Canada and Europe.

AGENTS FOR WELLS, FARGO & CO.

NEW CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS
FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY,
AT THE COLONIST OFFICE

PIANOS! ORGANS!

THE ETHEL BRINGS ANOTHER LARGE ADdition to Bagnall's stock of Musical Instruments. The Piano known in the musical world as the Beethoven Grand is a perfect gem and well worth the attention of lovers of music.

TO ARRIVE FOR CHRISTMAS.
SEVENTEEN PIANOS, HARMONIUMS AND ORGANS AT PRICES FROM $40 TO $550 EACH.

A few Second-hand Pianos & Organs for sale cheap. No trouble to show instruments and explain their merits.

BAGNALL & CO.,
Government Street, Victoria. Established 15 Years. no24

DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,
(FROM CANTON)
SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN,
CORMORANT ST., OPP. ORLEANS HOTEL.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERICAN Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted. oc27

ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET COMPANY.
MOORGATE STREET, LONDON.

FIRST CLASS THROUGH TICKETS VIA PANAma issued to Southampton, Plymouth and Cherbourg at $225 U. S. gold.

Cargo shipped to or from Southampton and London at through rates of freight.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Agents for British Columbia
WHARF STREET. mh7

FIRE INSURANCE.

NORTHERN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
ESTABLISHED 1836.
CAPITAL, THREE MILLIONS STERLING.
Risks against Fire accepted by
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Agents for British Columbia
WHARF STREET. mh7

MARINE INSURANCE.

THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)
OF LIVERPOOL.
INSURES MERCHANDISE, TREASURE, &c., UNder the conditions of English Policies.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Agents for British Columbia
WHARF STREET. mh7

LD. LOWENBERG,
REAL ESTATE AGENT
GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON,

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

THOS. TROUNCE,
ARCHITECT, ETC.
OFFICE ON KANE STREET, ABOVE DOUGLASS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREFULLY prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed 3m

NOTICE.
DRIARD HOTEL,
ROOMS 13 AND 14.
CORNS, BUNIONS, INGROWING TOE NAILS TREATED WITH SKILL BY THE CELEBRATED
MONS. A. MOREL,
OF THE FIRM OF FEISTEL & CERRARD, OF 838 MARKET ST., SAN FRANCISCO.

LADIES!

With Moles, Warts, Superfluous Hair, Freckles, Birthmarks, or any defect in the Skin, instantly removed without acid or anything injurious.

All cures guaranteed or no charge. Highest Testimonials on application.

Office Hours from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. se4dw

J. FINLAYSON,
FAMILY GROCER
TEA AND COFFEE DEALER,
FORT STREET.

BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED AND ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city

A. J. LANGLEY. H. L. JONES.
LANGLEY & CO.,
PRACTICAL CHEMISTS
YATES STREET, VICTORIA,
Importers and dealers in
ASSAYERS' MATERIALS,
ACIDS & CHEMICALS.

SPECIAL CARE TAKEN TO IMPORT SUCH ARticles as the mining interests of British Columbia demand, such as

IRON AND CLAY FURNACES,

For Melting and Cupelling, Mufflers, Blowpipes, Sand, Black Lead and other Crucibles,

CUPEL AND CUPEL MOULDS, MORTARS AND PESTALS, GLASS AND IRON RETORTS,

Chemically Pure Acids and Reagents

Bicarbonate Soda, Borax, Litharge, Cyanide Potassium, Bluestone, Quicksilver and all Chemicals required by Assayers and Quartz Mills.
orders promptly attended to. ja11w

W. R. CLARKE & CO.
AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Salesroom, Fireproof Building,
VATES STREET, - VICTORIA, B. C.

☞ Liberal Advances made on Consignments.
☞ To facilitate the Sale of Real Estate we have complete Maps of Victoria, Esquimalt, New Westminster and the Districts.
N. B—Parties desirous of selling their Stock, Stock-in-Trade, or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble of an Auction Sale, can find a Cash Buyer calling on the above.

TO BUTCHERS, FARMERS, ETC.
HIDES.

THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID BY the undersigned for Hides in good order:

GREEN HIDES 7 CENTS PER LB.
GREEN CALF SKINS 8 TO 10 CTS. PER LB.

Delivered on the Wharf at Victoria.
W. HEATHORN,
au31 Victoria Boat and Race House, Victoria.

FOR SALE—TO LET.

BUSH TAVERN, ESQUIMALT ROAD, TO LET.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION CAN BE HAD. FOR Terms apply at once to Mrs. Rothwell, Esquimalt Town. de22 2w

BOARD AND ROOMS.

HANDSOME, NEWLY-FURNISHED ROOMS,

WITH FIRST-CLASS BOARD; HOT, COLD & Shower Bath on the premises.

☞ A few Gentlemen Day Boarders can be comfortably accommodated.

Apply to JOHN J. JACOBS on the premises,
de10 Fort St., bet. Quadra and Vancouver.

BOARD AND LODGING.

GENTLEMEN CAN OBTAIN BOARD AND LODGings in a private family by addressing "M. W." at *The Colonist* Office. oc22

EDUCATIONAL.

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under eight years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

STOCKS AND MINES.

NOTICE.

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE SECOND GENERAL MEETING OF THE shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 3rd day of February, 1879, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. D. GUTMANN,
ja4 Secretary.

NOTICE.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE FIRST GENERAL MEETING OF THE Quesnelle Quartz Mining Company will be held at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C., on Wednesday the 12th of February, 1879, to receive the financial statement and report of the Directors, to elect a Board of Directors, and to transact such other business as may be brought before it.
R. J. SKINNER.
ja9 Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

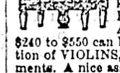
NOTICE.

THE SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's office in Victoria on Monday the third day of February next, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may then and there be submitted.

The Transfer Books will be closed on and after 20th January.

Dated the fourth day of January, A.D. 1879.
By order, G. A. SARGISON,
ja5dw Secretary.

BAGNALL'S NEW MUSIC STORE



IS NOW REPLETE WITH EVERY kind of Musical Instrument. English, French, German and American PIANOS and ORGANS at prices from $240 to $550 can be tested side by side. A choice selection of VIOLINS, GUITARS and other musical instruments. A nice assortment of Fancy Goods direct from Paris.

STANDARD MUSIC and instruction books for instruments. An immense stock of sheet music, the latest publications constantly arriving.

PIANOS and ORGANS tuned and regulated, and old ones taken in exchange.

MUSIC at Reduced Prices. Pianos and Organs for hire and sold on the instalment principle. Everybody should call at

BAGNALL'S MUSIC STORE, GOVERNMENT STREET.
jy7

**